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[illegible] Sunday; I was at the corner of Thirty first-[illegible] and Avenue A; it was at half past seven P. M.; [illegible] on Third-street, opposite Karl's; I saw about [illegible] quietly standing on the opposite side, near [illegible]; I then saw two men; I think they were police-[illegible], though they had no badges, rushing into the [illegible]; they spoke to one single man, whom I don't [illegible], to clear the road; he was standing there still [illegible] quietly; he did not do anything; he answered [illegible] he had a right to stand there as much as he [illegible]; then one of the officers took hold of him and [illegible] his head in two different places, by hitting him [illegible] a club; this man, then, bleeding profusely, ran [illegible] Karl's, and the officer ran after him; one officer [illegible] ran to Fourth-street and gave the alarm rap, and [illegible] away; I don't know where the other officer then [illegible]; it was all still and quiet; there was no disturb-[illegible]; the crowd was laughing; I did not hear the crowd making any threats against the officers.

Q.—What was the crowd gathered there for? A.—We will find every Sunday Avenue A filled with the same crowd—families going to and coming from places; when I got there there was no fight, though I heard there had been one; about four or five minutes after the officer gave the alarm rap I saw fifteen or [illegible] officers coming down Fourth-street; five men [illegible] first, and after them Captain Hart, I think; the five men were two or three feet ahead; they marched down to the corner of Fourth-street and Avenue A; when they arrived there they turned round and marched back about two or three houses; a few boys standing there commenced crying "hurrah;" I then saw the officers take out their clubs and club every one in their way; three officers there drew their revolvers and fired at the roof of a house where there was a man and his wife standing; there was no resistance whatever to the officers; the crowd quietly ran away; the house fired at was opposite William Craygor's house; I did not see any stones, bricks or pistols fired from the house the officers fired at; I did not see any stones, brickbats, or anything else fired by the crowd; about ten or eleven shots I think were fired; all the shots I saw were fired by the officers and nobody else; there was no opposition in the crowd before the police fired; the people ran away at the commencement of the firing; I also went away; I did not see any one shot; I did not see the deceased in the crowd; I did not see anybody in the crowd whom I knew; I did not see any of the ex-policemen there; I know the man who was first attacked by the police very well, but I don't know his name.

By a Juror—Did you see the Metropolitan Police shoot against the crowd or only against that house? A.—I saw them shooting only against that house, its roof and windows; I think it very probable that the police hit the house they shot against, but I don't know, *I did not see it*; people were *sitting* in the windows of the house shot at.

Alderman Steers wished to know if only one or more windows were occupied by persons looking out, and if they retired or returned the fire.

Witness—I don't know whether there were more than two persons looking out of the windows; all the persons I saw on the roof and at the windows, retired immediately after the first shots were fired.

EVIDENCE OF VALENTINE LUTZ.

I live at No. 59 Avenue A, corner of Fourth-street; I first saw the disturbance shortly after 7 P. M.; I was standing on Fourth-street, towards First avenue, and near Avenue A; I saw an officer standing near by, conversing with another man named Cook; I asked them what was going on, but could get no answer; Mr. Cook appeared to be persuading the policeman to go away, that it would then all be right.

About three minutes afterwards a squad of policemen came down the street with clubs in their hands; before they came to the corner of Fourth-street and Avenue A, where there was a crowd collected, they raised their clubs and crying out "Clear the way," rushed on the crowd and beat them; some hundred of the crowd extended into Fourth-street; the people ran away as fast as possible; some of the houses were closed, and people had to take shelter wherever they could get it; I heard shots fired, but don't know who fired them, any more than they came from the police; they fired in all directions, up to the roofs and right into the people; they fired high and low, and in all directions; they chased the crowd into Third-street, where about twenty more shots were fired; the policemen returned from chasing the crowd down to Second-street, and cleared the crowd that stood at Fourth-street; I heard nothing; when the police arrived, the crowd were laughing at the police; I saw stones thrown after the crowd was dispersed; I was standing alongside of Cook, a Metropolitan police officer, when three stones were fired; I did not see where they came from; I did not see the deceased in the crowd; the people laughed at the police for attacking the crowd so savagely.

THE CORONER THREATENS TO ARREST A JURYMAN.

The Coroner was asking the witness some question, when one of the Jurymen, Mr. Chas. H. Whalen, interrupted him, and wanted himself to ask the witness a question.

The Coroner ordered the Juryman to be silent, saying he would not be interrupted.

Mr. Whalen persisted in his interruption, saying he knew his rights.

The Coroner imperatively commanded the juror to be silent or he would arrest him.

Mr. Whalen, after the Coroner asked his question, arose and was going to make a speech in regard to the rights of jurors to ask questions of the witness, and also the necessity of the Court taking all the answers of the witness just as they were made.

Coroner—No speeches, Sir, no speeches—stop, Sir, no more of it.

Mr. Whalen—I wish to ask a question.

Coroner—If you wish to ask a question you can do so, but you must keep your seat—no getting up here to make speeches.

Mr. Whalen—Unless we have a free and open trial, with the privileges of the jurors allowed, I wish to retire from this Jury.

Coroner—You can do so, at any time, Sir.

Mr. Whalen—I wish to ask a question.

Coroner—Well, what do you wish, Sir?

Mr. Whalen—I want to know if we have a right to ask witnesses questions?

Coroner—Yes, Sir, if your questions are proper ones, and to the point, but if the Coroner is addressing the Court or witness, and a juror interrupts him, he (the juror) is guilty of contempt of Court, and subject to be arrested.

While the Coroner was administering the oath to the next witness, Mr. Whalen began talking, upon which the Coroner turned to him and sharply said, "Will you keep still, Sir, while I administer the oath?"

During the investigation several outside parties interrupted the Coroner, who at length peremptorily denounced silence, threatening to turn the parties thus annoying the Court out of the house; he declared that he would have no more interference, that the outsiders had no right to say one word in that Court, and he would not allow them to unless they addressed their questions to him, and he did not care about that for he and the jury were sufficient to try the case without any outside help.

EVIDENCE OF FREDERICK VOUCHER.

I reside at No. 174 Division-street; I was on the ground on Sunday night at half-past seven o'clock; I saw the people going through Avenue A; I saw the police standing in the avenue; I was told they were shooting; I heard a crowd hollooing "hurrah;" I saw 10 or 12 policemen beating a man with clubs; the crowd kept on hallooing; about that time two or three policemen came to the crowd and fired into it; some shots were fired at a roof; upon the firing the crowd dispersed; I went down as far as No. 20 Avenue A; I heard no shots after that; while I stood there I saw Muller coming down the sidewalk alone; as soon as he reached the house he fell down on his back right before my feet; another gentleman and I tried to get him up and carry him inside; by the time I got hold of his arm two policemen came along; they gave us each a couple of blows; I did not see them strike Muller; I then went into the house and up stairs; the other man came up in two or three minutes; when I came down stairs, Muller had been carried away to a doctor's shop I heard; I did not hear the man who was with me say he saw the deceased struck on the head.

To a Juror—I did not hear the officers tell the crowd to disperse before they began to fire; I did not see Muller shot.

EVIDENCE OF EDWARD MESSMIRE.

I live at No. 358 Second-avenue; I was at the scene of the affray on Sunday; I was coming down Avenue A with my friend, and observed a crowd of persons at the corner of Third-street and Avenue A, so I went over there to see what was the matter; I saw two policemen there; they were clearing people off the sidewalk; they acted pretty rough with them; I saw one of the policemen go up to a man and say something to him; also, handle him roughly, push him off the sidewalk; there was some kind of grumbling there; both policemen then walked across Third-street; one of them, named George Cook, came back; one man in the crowd took the policeman's part; he called George Cook out into the street with a few others; he said something—I don't know what—to them; the police, on being thus spoken to, went back on the sidewalk and acted very roughly to the people, pushing them off the sidewalk; there was one man standing behind the lamp-post; he, too, was handled roughly, though he was not in the way at all; they had some words; Dresbner, who called the police into the street, with two others, struck the man by the lamp-post and pulled him into the street; the policeman also hit this man with a club, and split his head; he ran away, and went down Avenue A to Karl's; after a short time he came out again; I saw him then run down Avenue A, and a policeman after him; Officer Cook then ran up Fourth-street for help; afterwards the crowd increased, but all was quiet; I saw three or four policemen coming down Fourth-street; Charley Drescher told them he pointed a German who was standing there; he did not tell them what to arrest him for; the p[illegible] very roughly; the man said he [illegible] they took him off; shortly after six [illegible] ment came along Fourth street and [illegible] people away; seventeen or eighteen [illegible] then marched in line up Fourth-[illegible] had at that time left, and the mi[illegible] was clear; the police stopped at the [illegible] among themselves; they then went to both sides of the street, pushing the people and clubbing them; the police proceeded as far as Avenue A and returned, when they at once commenced firing on the house at the corner of Fourth-street; witness saw no one shot; saw neither stones nor brickbats thrown from that house, nor anywhere else at any time; he did not know any one in the crowd.

To a Juror—I cannot tell whether Officer Cook or Charles Drescher struck the man at the lamp-post first; they all rushed in together; Cook struck him with his club.

H. N. Wilhelm, Esq., a German citizen, who was Coroner last Summer, is connected with Coroner Perry to aid him in this investigation.

The Court then, at 12½, adjourned, to meet Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, in the same place.

The Funeral of Muller.

The funeral of MULLER, *the German, who was* killed on Sunday evening during the riot at the corner of Third-street and Avenue A, took place yesterday. It was attended by an immense concourse of people, the majority being Germans.

The *post mortem* examination of the body of deceased, held on Monday, was unsatisfactory. The ball could not be found,—its direction could not even be traced. Yesterday another examination was made, when the ball was found embedded in the neck, showing that it had made an upward passage from the thorax, and that MULLER was not shot from a window, as was asserted. The news that the ball was found added fuel to the fire that already burnt bright and vivid enough among the exasperated crowd. Almost each man indicated to his neighbor with his finger, the path which the missile had taken, and stirred up afresh whatever embers might have been in need of kindling. There was certainly no lack of excitement in the vicinity of the premises where the corpse of deceased was exposed, and which was visited from about noon until the time it was removed for interment, by thousands of persons, a strong body of Germans keeping guard at both entrances, to turn back any person suspected of being a Metropolitan policeman or a reporter. Several parties came nearly being roughly treated, who were suspected of serving under the White-street Commissioners.

Avenue A is principally inhabited by Germans of the lower class. The rag-pickers live in the neighborhood. It is the German Five Points. Most of what is Teutonically dirty in person, and equivocal in morals, as far as this City is concerned, may be found there. It is not astonishing, therefore, that the Germans yesterday who followed the body of Muller to the grave, were generally of that class which the respectable portion of their countrymen are disinclined to recognize.

The procession left No. 27 Avenue A, the residence of deceased, shortly before four o'clock, and proceeded up Third-street to the Bowery. At the corner of Third-street they passed the Seventeenth Precinct Station-house of the Metropolitan Police. A policeman, showing his shield and baton, came forward, making himself conspicuous. The procession, which had moved along quietly up to that time, immediately became exasperated, and if the officer had not instantly been withdrawn by some of those within the building, a row would, in all probability, have ensued. As it was, loud cries of indignation were raised, and a disturbance was very imminent.

In the procession, as it moved up the Bowery, there could not have been less than from five to six thousand persons in rank, before and after the hearse, while on the sidewalk, and walking loosely in the road there must have been four or five thousand more. A band preceded the hearse, playing suitable funereal tunes. After the hearse a banner was borne, with these words inscribed, "Opfer der Metropolitan Police," which being interpreted reads: "*The Victim of the Metropolitan Police.*" It was almost amusing—it would have been quite amusing, if the occasion had not been so mournful, to hear the people on the side walk comment on that German inscription. "What does it mean?" said one. "Well, it just means, to h—l with the Black Republican Police," was the reply. "That's what I say," chimed in a third. "Let's go to Calvary with 'em, Jim, and see if the Police will dare to touch us."

The police had no design to interfere with them. They proceeded along their chosen route, up Bowery to Stuyvesant-street, and thence to Tenth-street attracting more attention than is usually bestowed on funeral processions, but in nowise provoking interference. At Calvary Cemetery the corpse was interred with the usual rites of the Catholic Church and the friends of the deceased, with the thousands of sympathizers in his fate, returned to the neighbor. of the fatal riot.

The Police Commissioners.

The Police Commissioners made but one appointment yesterday morning, that of LEVI PECK as Special Patrolman for the Hudson River Railroad Company. The usual large number of applicants stand about the building, and a detailed force is stationed in the yard. A number of candidates for Patrolmen were examined, but no more appointments will be made till Tuesday next, with the exception of the Second Ward force, who will be sworn in on Thursday.

Superintendent TALLMADGE issued the following order in case an extra force should be necessary in the Seventeenth Ward to preserve order at the funeral of MULLER, the German shot in the riot of Sunday night.

OFFICE OF THE METROPOLITAN POLICE, No. 88 White-street, NEW-YORK, July 14.

DEPUTY-SUPERINTENDENT CARPENTER—*Sir*: You will detail the officers and men from the following Precincts, to report to Captain HART, of the Seventeenth Precinct, at 2½ o'clock this afternoon, for the purpose of preserving the public peace during the funeral of the German who was shot at the riot on Sunday last:

Thirty patrolmen from Eleventh Precinct.
Fifteen patrolmen from Twentieth Precinct.
Twenty patrolmen from Thirteenth Precinct.
Twenty patrolmen from Ninth Precinct.
Fifteen patrolmen from Twenty-first Precinct.
Twenty-five patrolmen from Eighth Precinct.
Twenty-five patrolmen from Seventh Precinct.

P. A. TALLMADGE, General Supt. Police.

Deputy Superintendent CARPENTER issued orders during the forenoon to the Captains of the Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fifteenth, Twentieth and Twenty-first Precincts, to send aid to Captain HART, of the Seventeenth Precinct, at 2 o'clock. The total force sent was 150 men. The Captains of the other Precincts were also ordered to have their available forces in reserve to await orders.

At No. 88 White-street 100 special men and 30 regulars were held in readiness to march to the Seventeenth Ward, in case their services should be required.

SEVENTEENTH WARD STATION-HOUSE—THE FORCE THERE LAST NIGHT.

The crowd about the Seventeenth Ward Station-house, corner of Bowery and Third-street, was not so great last night as on the previous night. The stores in the vicinity were nearly all closed, although fears of an attack were mostly removed. One hundred and eighty six men were kept in readiness at the Station, to prevent attack and maintain order. This force was under the general command of Captain HART, and was drafted from different districts, as follows:

Eighth Ward, Captain Turnbull—25 men.
Ninth Ward, Roundsman Bent—22 men.
Eleventh Ward, Roundsman Fanarsdale—20 men.
Thirteenth Ward, Sergeant Steers—14 men.
Fifteenth Ward, Captain Dilks—25 men.
Seventeenth Ward, Captain D. Hart—53 men.
Twentieth Ward, Sergeant Bennett—13 men.
Twenty-first Ward, Sergeant Abbott—14 men.
Total—186 men.

THE MILITARY.

The Eighth and Seventy-first Regiments were called out about 9½ o'clock last evening, that they might be in readiness in case their services should be required. The first named assembled at Military Hall, No. 163 Bowery, and the last at the Centre Market Drill-rooms. Each remained at their rendezvous, awaiting further orders. The impression generally prevailed that the services of the military would not be required, but it was deemed advisable to keep them in readiness to move at moment's notice.

INCIDENTS—ARRESTS, &c.

Pickpockets were present among the crowd o lookers-on that loitered about the Seventeenth Ward Station-house. Some of them worked successfully and got clear, the victims not learning their loss until long after they had been relieved. No heavy hauls were made. Towards evening a number o the fancy made a "push," and one of them relieved Mr. ANDREW DELAY, of No. 35 Thompson-street, of his watch. Mr. DELAY felt the move and bawled, whereupon Officer MEADE, of the Ninth Ward, arrived and "pinched" TOM O'BRIEN, who was pointed out by Mr. DELAY as the one who made the "rowse." Tom was taken in and searched, but the watch was not found upon him, he having "slung" it adroitly to his "props." He was locked up, however, and will be examined this morning on a charge of grand larceny.

About 5½ o'clock drove down Third-street, and reported to Captain HART that about 1,500 Germans were approaching in a very menacing way, bearing flags, inscribed, "We will have revenge." "We will protect our rights." Captain HART ordered all his force within doors, and marshalled them for defence. Meantime Officer UNDERHILL was dispatched in disguise to reconnoitre. The Police awaited the expected onslaught in silence. The excitement was intense. *In less than fifteen minutes Officer* UNDERHILL returned, and reported that no attack would be made. The doors were then again thrown open, and the men resumed their former positions.

Rumors of the alleged attack was rapidly spread, and many citizens hurried forward and tendered their aid to defend the Station and maintain the law. These were received by Capt. HART, who thanked them for their patriotism, but assured them that the police force under his command was adequate.

An alarm of fire was given in Fifth-street, near Avenue C, at 8½ o'clock; a great rush was made from all quarters, thinking it was a riot; shutters were hastily put up and stores closed. Four engines arrived. It proved to be a false alarm.

German Mass Meeting of Indignation.

The excitement in the Seventeenth Ward, consequent on the late collision between the Germans and Metropolitan Police, was kept alive yesterday by the holding of the Coroner's inquest and the funeral ceremonies of JOHN MULLER, the blacksmith who was shot. According to previous notice, a large assembly of Germans convened in the German theatre in Fourth-street, at 8 o'clock. On all the tables was lager, of which all drank freely until the speaking commenced and the crowd was too dense to crook the elbow. The object of the meeting was to express an opinion on the late action of the Metropolitan Police, and to counsel forbearance and a peaceful deportment among the German citizens.

The meeting was called to order by Councilman JOHN SCHAPPERT, who nominated Ex-Coroner WILHELM Chairman of the meeting.

Dr. WILHELM on taking the Chair thanked the audience (in German) for calling him to preside, and alluded to the late unfortunate conflict between the Germans of the vicinity and the Metropolitan Police. It had been said that an attempt had been made to give a political direction to the late unfortunate events, and it was further asserted that Mayor WOOD was at the bottom of it all. This he most emphatically denied, although Mayor Wood was of adverse political faith to himself.

The speaker then called attention to the inquest commenced in the morning by Coroner PERRY, and counselled his hearers to allow it to proceed without interruption. The most sensible and safest course for them would be to acquiesce in the proceedings of law, as peaceable and quiet citizens. No advantage was to be gained by breaking the peace and manifesting a riotous disposition. He trusted they would see the propriety of this course, and sustain the hitherto good reputation of German citizens.

On motion, Mr. WM. GROENER and JOS. KOCH were elected Vice-Presidents, and Mr. CHAS. CRUZ, Secretary.

Mr. CRUZ, from the Committee appointed at the meeting of the previous evening, to draft resolutions, reported the following, which were adopted by acclamation:

In consideration of the lamentable occurrence of last Sunday, when one of our fellow citizens was murdered by the Metropolitan Police, and many others wounded,

Resolved, That while awaiting the result of the Coroner's investigation, we confirm the appointment (made yesterday) of a Committee for an impartial investigation of the whole affair, and that we authorize said Committee to call a meeting of the citizens of the Seventeenth Ward to report to them.

Resolved, That it is not our intention to suppress bad laws, and that the Germans are too well known as a peace-loving people, so that no suspicion in that regard can reach them.

Resolved, That we accuse the Commissioners of the Metropolitan Police and their tools of being the rioters, and that the Commissioners, in order to parade their authority, jeopardized the peace and life of the citizens, and justify the contempt which they have richly deserved.

Resolved, That in our view the Police should keep and maintain the peace, and not disturb the peace and create bloodshed and riot, as was done by them last Sunday and Monday.

Resolved, That we believe that in a Republican country the people ought to govern themselves, and should not be governed by others, and that we know that we have no other remedy against our grievances and sufferings than the ballot-box, where we can throw our whole strength, and protest against the regency and its partisans.

Resolved, That we express our sympathy for the family of the murdered JOHN MULLER, and raise means for her support.

Mr. SCHENCK, jeweller, of the Tenth Ward, a man who exerts considerable influence among our German population, next addressed the meeting. He asked where were those leaders of the German people who were always ready, on all occasions of political meetings, to address them? Now, when the life of a fellow-man was the subject for consideration, they were not to be heard; when a foul murder was to be avenged, they were nowhere to be found—not one of them was to be found here on the present occasion. Liberty in all ages had been baptised in blood, and no wonder that a feeble attempt to assert their rights had been the occasion of blood being spilt. He expressed the opinion that the shot which had sent their fellow-citizen to his doom was fired by the police. But wronged as they had been, he adjured them to restrain their feelings until next November, when they could redress their wrongs at the ballot-box and show their fellow-citizens that they were capable of self-government, and thus give the lie to their traducers.

DR. MERKLE'S SPEECH.

Dr. MERKLE, Inspector of Drugs, spoke in a very eloquent manner, and elicited great applause. He advised the people to sustain their reputations as good American citizens. He said the Germans were always looked upon as a respectable, quiet people. He begged them not to allow themselves to be drawn into the strife that is now existing between the dissenting parties. He assured them their rights would be maintained, and that they would be sustained in all they did, provided they were right; that the laws of the State were to be obeyed, and he felt assured that all good citizens would do all in their power to sustain the laws. He appealed to their good sense, to their honors, and alluded to the great Germans who had fallen in the cause of liberty, but yet lived in the hearts of the German people. He conjured them, by all they held sacred and dear to themselves and the German name, to maintain their position as good, quiet, peaceable, and respectable men. He ended by saying whatever injuries had been done to them, they would be righted, and that he hoped they would all use their judgment, and not be led away by the mad cry which was carrying havoc wherever it was heard. During the speech the utmost order was observed, and three cheers were given for the able manner in which he advised them for their good.

ASSEMBLYMAN WOOD'S REMARKS.

Mr. ARTHUR WOODS, late Assemblyman from the Seventeenth Ward, was the next speaker. His remarks might be considered slightly incendiary. Mr. Woods, after alluding to the late shedding of blood in the Seventeenth Ward, asked his audience if they didn't remember that the leading City papers last Fall abounded in the blood-red words of "Bleeding Kansas." You couldn't open a paper without meeting with those magic letters. But now do you see these same papers dwelling on this late infamous action of the police? Not a bit of it. No, there is no capital to be made out of it. The honorable ex-member dealt rather severely with the Black Republican Legislature, and favored his audience with a semi-humorous but caustic description of the way legislation was ground out at Albany, where so many bills were sprung upon the State in the shortest possible time. The member from Herkimer, for instance, would introduce a bill which it required two hours to read, and each member was allotted five minutes to express his views on the subject—five minutes to talk about what it needed two hours to read! The Metropolitan Police Commissioners came in for a good share of this denunciation, while the poor police suffered the worst of all for their unfortunate connection with the late riot.

JOHN COCHRANE'S SPEECH.

JOHN COCHRANE was introduced to the meeting, and spoke as follows:

FELLOW-CITIZENS: It will be necessary for me to retrace our steps for a few moments in order that you may understand the position you occupy. It is now but a short time that a law was passed in this State—a law which was thought to be unconstitutional by many, but which has been pronounced to be constitutional by the highest Court of our State; and, as the mandate of the highest Court, we must maintain it and stand by it. [Cheers.] If we—as we do—imagine this law to be outrageous, as peaceful and law-abiding citizens, we will put those in authority at the next election who will repeal the law. [Bravo!] So much in respect to the revolutionary aspect of this meeting. We repudiate, we contemn it; and you, as German citizens, possessed of that high privilege, the elective franchise, will proclaim it in the face of the world. I know that you will repeal the law, and will declare it null by the next election. Now, fellow citizens, we come to the transaction which had inspired this excitement throughout our Ward, and the transactions which transpired a few days ago. [The speaker detailed the circumstances of the homicide of Muller.] Fellow-citizens, this is no seditious meeting; it is a meeting for calm, deliberate gentlemen, assembled for the purpose of discussing dispassionately the object and issues before us, and after having attained a respectable judgment, to stand by that judgment. [Cheers.] If that is not the issue, what is it? It has been said that one of our fellow-citizens has been stricken down in your midst and deprived of life—that it has been done by the officers and through the instrumentality of the Police. That transaction is thundered forth over your City. You have a Jury summoned by your Coroner, consisting—[Here some disturbance in the lower end of the hall interrupted the speaker for some moments.]—consisting of seven men, which enjoys your confidence—consisting of *honest and respectable men. The question is to be* submitted to them. After the legal evidence which may be adduced, the Coroner who is to hold the inquest is to explain to you the occasion and the manner of the death of your fellow citizen. If this evidence shall show to you that the Police did wrong, they will be answerable to it as men; if, on the contrary, that evidence shall show that the Police did right, they will be sustained. Then, gentlemen, my advice to you is, and the advice of your own judgment is, that you stand still as peaceful and law-abiding citizens. Let the law take its course. Listen to the evidence that may be adduced before the Coroner; and my word for it that jury will give a righteous and satisfactory verdict. [Cheering.] Upon that verdict your action will be based. If there was no cause for the destruction of life, according to the evidence brought forward, they who were the cause of the loss of life will be answerable for it to the legal tribunals. But if, on the contrary, the officers shall be proved guilty, then you, as reasonable men, will abide by the evidence and verdict of the jury. I have detained you too long already, but I have spoken thus at length in order that those who were not here to-night, that the public, who shall read of your proceedings, shall not point to this meeting in the Seventeenth Ward and declare it was a seditious and revolutionary meeting, but be satisfied that our German fellow-citizens in this locality, so far from being revolutionary, are disposed to repose upon the laws of the land. Then, if they have been outraged, as the evidence will show, to take their outrages before your Criminal Courts for redress, and to ask that the offenders and oppressors shall be punished by the laws of the land, which are your laws as well as our laws. [Cheers.] Gentlemen, no speaker here to-night has come here *to spur your hearts to mutiny*, but to pour oil upon the agitated waters; to advise you, as now in these coming days, that you will put the evidence before the Jury, but reserve the determination, the resolution that, knowing your rights, you will maintain them. With the characteristic determination of the German mind, take all things into account, and choose that which is best. This is my language to you to-night, and I know and feel it is yours also. Do not misunderstand me; I do not mean that you shall not resist oppression. If your rights have been violated, I would counsel you to resist, of course. But the method of resistance is through the laws of the land, and not through violence, rapine and murder. [Applause.] I had heard of your meeting to-night, and I could not refrain from making my appearance here; for I feel it is the duty and obligation of every man to try and influence the judgment of others, and especially on an occasion of this kind; for, if our fellow-citizens are not properly advised—if, under excitement, they are led astray, they will most inevitably go wrong. The people will always listen to good counsels. I thank you for your attention. I am glad that I have come here to offer to you my right hand of sympathy—for I sympathize always where I believe the rights of the people are invaded; and I believe that where those rights are invaded, the law is ready to redress them. My advice, then, is to look to the laws of the land for redress, if you have anything to be redressed.

Mr. WUTSCHELL was next introduced to the meeting, and described the funeral of their murdered fellow-citizen, who had been a victim of the Metropolitan Police on Sunday last. In the course of his remarks he uttered some rather incendiary sentiments which so excited the surging throng in front that some minutes passed before order could be sufficiently restored to enable him to proceed.

A proposition was at this point made to take up a collection for the benefit of the widow, which was received with boisterous outbursts of applause.

Mr. WUTSCHELL resumed by saying that if we were to stand by every law that might be foisted upon us by law-makers, we might with equal justice be called upon to obey the laws of Austria, Prussia and all other despotic Governments.

This sentiment was received with so much uproar that many minutes elapsed before a word could be heard.

The speaker resumed: Some one had accused him of uttering revolutionary sentiments. [*"No! no!"*] Had any such words passed his lips?—he appealed to them to answer. [*"No! no!"*] We had been told that we make our own laws, and consequently must abide by them. He would say that the laws had been made by *men* who had not represented the people in the Legislature. [*"Hang the Legislature!"*] But he would, in conclusion, counsel them to reserve their action until they could make it efficient at the ballot-box.

Alderman COULTER addressed the crowd: He had come as an humble auditor to listen to the enthusiasm which he knew would be exhibited. When ALBERT BROUGHAM was slaughtered he had a form of trial, but when MULLER was shot down the people bled, for he had done nothing to disturb the peace. What was the purpose in committing this act? It was to perpetuate the existence of a police force in the City of New-York—let their blood be on their own heads. [Immense cheering.] Let us appeal to the people of this City and to the world that we are law-abiding citizens; that we ask nothing but to be let alone, to indulge in all the privileges which God has given us; but we do not like to be robbed and despoiled of our privileges. Let us show to the people of this City and to every part of the world wherever newspapers circulate that we are a law-abiding people; that we do not wish to take advantage of the excitement; that we are disposed to see how the coroner's inquest will terminate, and that the guilty party shall be brought to punishment. The speaker was glad to meet them there. He believed he had studied their interests and consulted their welfare. He was one of themselves, and could always be found in their midst. If he had been at the riot he would have endeavored to prevent bloodshed. They were a free people, desirous to be let alone in their business. They had left their fatherland to escape oppression, and were they to meet the same fate in this "home of the free and land of the brave?" [Cheers.] We had no resource but at the ballot-box. Men who had no interest in our welfare had put these laws upon us. [A groan was here proposed, but not responded to.] We desired to enjoy our privileges in all their pristine vigor. Many of those who passed these laws knew nothing of our interests and wants; therefore, it became us to have men of the right stamp in the Legislature to combat those foes, and turn back the rushing tide which was else to overwhelm us.

SPEECH OF WM. SEEBACH.

WM. SEEBACH, an ex-Lieutenant of Police in the Thirteenth Ward, was the next speaker who addressed the meeting in German. He was an exception to other speakers of the evening. He was very violent in his denunciations of the whole Black Republican Party, and advised the people to do for themselves—to establish a Police force for themselves and not to allow a Metropolitan to enter their Wards or Districts; that they were independent of them, that there were men enough among them,—property holders,—who could petition the Legislature and have a private watch of their own; he assured them that from his experience he knew that one of the old Police force could and would always be willing to do more duty and take better care of their interests than twenty of the new force. He advised them not to submit any longer, and exaggerated the late difficulties in the most violent and exciting manner, appealing to them to have a police force of their own, and for so many of the German citizens as were necessary to come forward, and hold themselves responsible to secure the payment of the same. The speaker was compelled to bring his remarks to a close at this moment, on account of a slight disturbance in the front part of the building, owing to the excessive crowd making their way in and out.

WINTHROP CHANDLER was the next speaker in English. He stated that he came there as an American to consult with them, and to use all his endeavors to persuade his German friends and fellow-citizens to sustain their names and reputations as law-abiding and good industrious people. He would not detain them since there were many who had preceded him, and had expressed to them his views more eloquently than it was in his power to do. He thanked them for their attention and retired amidst great applause.

Dr. WILHELM stated to the meeting that since it was growing late and was after 10 o'clock, they thought it was best the meeting should be adjourned. He complimented them on the order and correct feeling that had been displayed during the evening, and felt thankful that the difficulties would all be adjusted to their entire satisfaction; he exhorted them to return quietly to their homes and not to congregate on the corners of the streets, since it would do no good whatever, and was likely to result in harm. He said he felt assured that the advice would be taken, and that all persons there assembled would with God's will and blessing return safely to their homes. These remarks were loudly cheered, and the meeting quietly adjourned.

It was stated that due notice would be given of any meeting it would be necessary to hold for their interests.

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[illegible] and "made a few remarks" [illegible] the door and [illegible] received with loud shouts of laughter and applause. He spoke [illegible] He "went in" for "Permanent Work" and the "Gold Bugs," [illegible] the "Black Republicans" and the "Know Nothings," and expressed his willingness to furnish for our side and the glorious Democracy, [illegible] drinks. He then [illegible] which he responded to amid the pressing invitation of his hearers and admirers.

The Arrested Seventeenth Ward Rioters.

The prisoners, CROKER ROBERTS, JOHN SCHULTZ, ADAM GRAB, PHILIP HOOVER, MORRIS WHITE, MATHEWS WAGNER and ALBERT STOELL, charged as rioters in the late disturbance in the Seventeenth Ward, are still confined in the Essex Market prison. Numerous applications have been made to bail them out, but Justice [illegible] refused bail until the result of the inquest upon the body of Herman Muller was known. In one case, bail to the amount of $[illegible] was offered, but it was not accepted. In addition to the above prisoners, VITUS HOFFMAN, JOHN SCHWALB and LORENZO KAISER were arrested on Monday night, and are now imprisoned. KAISER, it appears, was very active during the riot, and in his anger at the loss of his pistol, was himself wounded, the ball striking his hand. He was arrested at the [illegible] TRESNALL, of the Fifteenth Ward, who, with another witness of his conduct, made affidavits against him. HOFFMAN had a single-barreled pistol in his possession when arrested, and SCHWALB, when caught, dropped several paving stones. Further testimony will be procured against these men.

Robbers Attacking a German Target Company.

Monday night about 7½ o'clock, a German Target Company was returning home through Thirty-ninth-street, from Third-avenue, on the cars, to the corner of Lexington-avenue and Thirty-ninth-street, where they assembled by a party of boys who [illegible]. The Company halted, when the boys were [illegible] by about 200 men, mostly Irish. Blows and [illegible] fight ensued. Bricks and stones flew thick and fast for some 15 minutes, when the German Company were obliged to retreat—the major part of them taking refuge in a house in Thirty-ninth-street, near Fourth-avenue. A few who were separated from the Company—one of the judges and one of the prisoners and his wife, were surrounded in Lexington-avenue, between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets, and badly beaten. The women acted heroically, standing by her husband, and personally protecting him, after he had fallen to the ground, receiving many blows herself. She then, with the assistance of the police, succeeded in carrying him, amid a volley of stones, to the house of Mr. IRA TOPPING, in Thirty-eighth-street, where they remained until the Rioters had withdrawn.

The Riots of Monday.

The following abstract of returns was made to the Deputy-Superintendent on Tuesday morning:

Precinct No. 1—Sergeant De Camp says: At 1½ o'clock A. M. a fire was discovered by Patrolman [illegible] Connolly in the basement of building No. 130 Water-street, kept as a distillery and [illegible]. The Fire Department was promptly on the ground. The fire was extinguished with little damage.

Precinct No. 2—Sergeant Wood reports the arrest of James Sullivan and John Bryant for pocket picking.

Precinct No. 3—Inspector Hopkins reports seven arrests for intoxication and disorderly conduct.

Precinct No. 5—Sergeant Hutchings reports 15 arrests. He says: James Mosher and John French were arrested at 2½ A. M. These two men, [illegible] other boys, were making several attempts to enter dwellings in Harrison-street, and their movements having been watched by Charles A. Moore, at No. 19 Harrison-street, he came to the Station and gave the information, when I took O. H. Slater with me and succeeded in overhauling them in Washington-street, on their way to the Tombs. They were searched back and searched, and on Mosher was found a very nice lot of skeleton keys and nippers. At 9½ o'clock last evening Rosetta Wheeler, No. 19 [illegible], was severely burned from the upsetting or bursting of a lamp, containing burning fluid. She was met at the door, while rushing from the house, by Officer Kelsey, who procured a quilt and smothered the flames, and conveyed her to the Hospital.

Precinct No. 6—Sergeant Hicks reports 11 arrests.

Precinct No. 7—Sergeant Cameron reports one arrest. He remarks: "The body of a man by the name of George O'Brien, was found in the ship foot of Catharine-street, yesterday. The body was placed in charge of officers and the Coroner notified."

Precinct No. 8—Inspector Turnbull reports nine arrests.

Precinct No. 9—Sergeant Slattery reports the arrest for intoxication, and three lost children brought in. One was restored to the parents and the others sent to the Almshouse.

Precinct No. 10—Sergeant Davis reports four arrests for intoxication and two for petit larceny.

Precinct No. 11—Inspector Sanders reports two arrests for drunkenness. He remarks: "It becomes my duty, again to allude to the peculiar and delicate position in which we are placed in this Precinct, and the necessity of prompt and efficient measures of preparation to meet any crisis. The sentiments which prevailed in the Seventeenth Ward yesterday and last night was by no means confined to that District, but all along the line of the Eleventh Ward, bordering on the Seventeenth, and in some other parts of the Eleventh the most intense excitement prevailed. Crowds gathered at the different corners, and men and boys were seen hurrying to and fro with guns, pistols, and in fact almost all sorts of weapons in their hands, indicating a deep and settled purpose of mischief. So manifest was this that I did not feel at liberty to respond to the call of Capt. Hart, of the Seventeenth, for help about 5 o'clock in the afternoon, deeming that my entire force and more would be needed in my own Precinct, which proved to be the case, as an attempt was made to fire the Station, about 10 o'clock, with stones and brickbats, but the miscreants fled and escaped before pursuit could be made. The house was immediately put in as good a state of defence as possible, and every man was at his post awaiting a more vigorous and general attack, which we expected, and which we had been apprised by different parties was contemplated simultaneously with an attack on the Seventeenth. The night, however, passed away, and no further demonstration was made. Can this state of things continue? and if not, what is the remedy, and when is it to be applied? are questions of the deepest moment."

Precinct No. 12—Inspector Porter reports two arrests.

Precinct No. 13—Sergeant Steers reports five arrests, four drunkards and Dority Shoin, a German midwife, for abortion.

Precinct No. 14—Sergeant Williamson shows a blank.

Precinct No. 15—Inspector Dilkes reports seven arrests. A stray horse and cart, No. 501, was returned to the owner, Dennis Murphy, No. 504 East Fourth-street.

Precinct No. 16—Special Aid Sutherland reports 7 arrests. He concludes and adds the following:

"MURDER SOLVED AS A CONSEQUENCE.—Monday, 10 A. M., Coroner Perry held an inquest on the body of a man named John Ryan, residing at No. 154 Nineteenth-street. The journals of this City, several days ago, informed the public that such a man was a total stranger to the lower part of the City, and that, while passing from Bowery to Bedford, on the afternoon of the 6th inst., he was shot in the side by a stray bullet from one of the revolvers used on the occasion of the riot of that day. It was stated in the inquest, however, that Ryan was shot in the side by a ball from a gun in the hands of a person named John Kean. Ryan being in the act of committing a burglary on the premises of Mr. Henry McLean, No

EGYPT.

[illegible] with [illegible] people in traveling [illegible] down the world, and strange incidents [illegible] that would seem as in his [illegible], I did not expect to hear of the great [illegible] of New-York on a Mediterranean steamer [illegible] Alexandria. I was smoking a cigar on [illegible] after dinner, the last evening on [illegible] the *Nile*, when a gentleman [illegible] a conversation with me, which speedily [illegible] very interesting, and at length turned to [illegible], and American manners and people.

[illegible] read the autobiography of the gentleman [illegible] which I had met, but he was much [illegible] of something he had heard in Africa [illegible] wild elephants which some one had, with [illegible] labor and danger, captured in the interior [illegible] of India, and conveyed to America. "Why," said [illegible] with a laugh, "We sold them those elephants [illegible] Ceylon, where I was a planter, and they were [illegible] wild, but every one of them was born [illegible] plantation. But we had a good [illegible] who came to buy them. He [illegible] and one day we had him up to [illegible] us, and he told us he had been teaching [illegible] elephants to perform, and he had got one of [illegible] so that he would stand on his head; if we [illegible] he would see his title-deeds at the [illegible] they saw the *elephant*. And they did. [illegible] down to the hotel the next morning at [illegible] the elephant-tamer. "Walk in, gentlemen—what'll you drink? Come to see the elephant perform? Ah—pa—sorry—but it was so [illegible] and pleasant this morning that I couldn't, in [illegible] to my American partners, lose the opportunity of sending them on board ship, and—very [illegible]—won't you drink something?" And the [illegible] papers had gone with the elephants and [illegible]. It was a curious piece of fun to hear of in a Levant steamer, and I make a note of it that you may see how man's actions and actions travel [illegible] the world. It is astonishing how many [illegible] have read that same autobiography in Europe, [illegible] it an American book.

[illegible] as was the splendor of those [illegible] Mediterranean, it is not to be denied that no star shone on us out of these cloudless [illegible] half the beauty, or drew from us such [illegible] of delight, as did the first gleam we caught across the waves of the Pharos of Alexandria. It was not, indeed, the same blaze that [illegible] CLEOPATRA—not the same [illegible] that was one of the wonders of the world—but it was the first taken we had of our near approach to the land of Egypt, and the city of the [illegible] PAULIN and his generals, and I scarcely think any traveler has ever seen the evidence of land ahead with more joy or more deep and inexpressible feeling. The sea had been profoundly [illegible] since we left Malta, up to this moment. The [illegible] had not once rolled. But now a fresh north wind came down to us from the Isles of Greece, and the old sea rolled with a graceful, easy swell, and the white foam-caps gleamed in the starlight, and the stars themselves seemed moved to join the evening, and sat unsteadily on their thrones of adamant.

It was after midnight. There was no one on deck but myself—I mean no one of the passengers. I had slept, as usual, on the deck, and was roused from a night's slumber by the glare of a blue-light, burned as a signal for a pilot. That, over a deep silence, fell on everything. The engines had ceased their movement, the ship lay on the sea, and no one spoke or moved. I could, without difficulty, imagine the ghost of THALES looking down on us in astonishment, at the realization of wonders more than his dreams of the power of steam. But, doubtless, he has long ago gotten used to sights like this, though it seems but yesterday that we saw the equib or extravaganza in Punch about steamers and railways in these old countries.

"Ease her! stop her!
Any passengers for Joppa?"

So went the rhyme, and we had on board three passengers for that identical port, whither a semi-monthly line of steamers is now running, and themselves were to land at Alexandria, and be conveyed by rail to Cairo!

We lay off the port until morning. There are too many reefs and rocks hereabouts for vessels to approach the harbor in the night, and, if it were not so, it would be impossible to induce an Egyptian pilot to come off in the darkness. For all practical purposes, other than to warn vessels off, the light of Alexandria might as well be put out, as the Yankee light-house keeper put his out, at bed time, when all decent vessels ought to be at home.

Nor did daylight bring him. It was two hours after he had finished his morning prayer if he was a good Mussulman, before he made his appearance outside the harbor. If he was a good Mussulman, I say, and if the size of his breeches and the voluminous folds of his clothing were any indication, I assert doubt that he was one of the most zealous of the Prophet's followers. Think of a vessel piloted by a man in sixteen yards of white cloth and a turban! When they took him in over the ship's side, he looked as if he carried an extra sail for his boat, and when he walked up and down the bridge of the steamer, his trowsers flourishing in the wind, and his swarthy face turned hither and thither, as if he had nothing to do with the ship but to be looked at. On my word, I adopted his creed instanter, as my only resort under the circumstances, and having given one glance at the sea on the reefs, I lit my cigar as he lit his pipe, and sat down to let her go as she would. I saw it was all luck—all fate as he called it, and I was much edified at this novel method of taking a first-class steamer into a dangerous port.

Thanks to a perfect seaman for a captain, and some charts spread out on the deck before him, we did go in safely by the army of windmills that stand for a mile along the shore west of Alexandria, by the Necropolis, called by mistake the Baths of Cleopatra, by and through a fleet of over a hundred vessels of all nations, to the front of the palace and harem of the Pasha, where we let go the anchors, and were at last in the harbor of the capital of Egypt. I am thankful to record that the pilot was not fated to as fair a day as the rest of us, for as he went down the side of the ship he missed his footing, and instead of entering his boat from above on the starboard side, his astonished crew of naked Arabs saw his red visage emerge from the water on the opposite side. The Arabs have their own way of damning one another. It is more effectual than ours. We saw it illustrated in this instance. The trowsers didn't flow out on the wind as he stood up in his boat, they were too wet for that, but his rotten fell with a furious succession of blows on their black backs as they leaned to their oars, and he seasoned his expressive phrase with the same spice as long as we could see him.

Two hours later we were well located in the Hotel d'Europe on the grand square of Alexandria, and looking out of our windows at the Oriental and Grand picture before us. Alexandria is composed of all nations. It is the Egyptian in any house, Turks, Arabs and Copts abound; but so also the French, Italians, Maltese and Greeks as well as Greeks and Germans. The [illegible] and his donkey, the camel and his driver, of those were as other means of locomotion would seem to be Eastern; but the speedy carriage and showy turn-out of the Parisian [illegible] precedence here, and camel and donkey must give way to them. But the carriage is not wholly European in its equipment, for the narrow streets and crowded squares are so difficult of passage that each carriage has before it a runner who precedes it at the swiftest speed, crying aloud to all that his master is following him. The speed and bottom of these runners is beyond belief until you have seen them. I have seen a man run a hundred yards before a carriage for an hour without resting an instant, and when the horses were nearly blown he seemed as fresh as when he started. I tried one of them with my donkey from Pompey's pillar to the grand square, a distance of more than a mile. The donkey was a fast one, and I ran him every step of the way, and the faster I ran him the closer to him kept the boy, and the more furiously did he ply his whip in aid of my endeavors to get up more speed, while he shouted steadily with every breath "O—ah, O—ah, out of the way for the Howadji, to the right, to the left, out of the way you small boy, take care there, woman," and similar warnings to foot-passengers.

The ladies were fatigued. The previous night was a wakeful one to all of us. While they lay down and slept, Jacques and myself started out for our first donkey ride in Egypt, and of course went first of all to Pompey's pillar. The city was crowded with strangers,—the passengers in our steamer, as well as the passengers from India, who were waiting our arrival. Hence the price of donkeys was up, and the animals were not plenty at any price. But we were fortunate in our selection of three for ourselves and our servant, and we went up the square at a rattling American gallop.

Groves of lofty palm trees, loaded with their fruit just now ripe. Dense masses of banana, fig trees, and prickly pear, and occasional orange and lemon trees attracted our attention at the first, and we slackened the pace; but the sun was hot and we hastened on, and so our walk became a trot, and the trot a gallop, and the gallop a tremendous run. We overtook some ten or fifteen English gentlemen, who recognized us as their fellow-travelers on the *Nubia*, and fell into our wake, so that by the time we reached the gate of the city we had no small retinue, and the pace at which we were going, the cloud of dust we raised, the outcries of twenty donkey boys, shouting the praises of their respective employers, and withal the unshaven faces and shouts of laughter of the two Americans who led the *sortie*, might well have excused the guard at the gate for imagining an attempt to take it. But they imagined no such thing, or had no objection to it if they did, for we caught them napping. There was a camel loaded with stone, followed by four like himself, entering the gate from without as we entered it from within. The gate, be it known, is an archway some thirty feet through. Our pace left us but one alternative. To be over-run by the heavy camels who would unquestionably have the advantage of us in a collision, or to run over the janissaries and guard who sat on the side of the roadway half dozing in the shadowy arch. There was no choice whatever. We went over them. I shall never forget the horrible fate of one poor wretch of a Turk. He had just spread his carpet for noonday prayer, and having finished the ablutions was in the fifth, sixth or seventh posture prescribed by the Koran. I don't recollect the number, but you will recollect the posture. It is that in which he kneels towards Mecca with the top of his head on the ground between his knees. Mecca is to the south-eastward of Alexandria. We were going out of the south gate. You understand? The next posture was one not mentioned in the Koran, if my recollection is correct. It was on the back, head toward Mecca, feet toward the sun; next on the head, feet elevated and back toward Mecca, and next head, feet and body undergoing an ablution in a stream of mill water, flowing from an elevation just outside the gate. It was all over in an instant. The expression of his countenance was that of abject despair, as he vanished in the water, and we disappeared out of the next gateway which stands a hundred feet or so beyond the first and dashed out into the market-place of beeves buffalo and donkeys.

Pompey's Pillar, I call it by the name it is best known by, stands on a barren sand-hill, over the great cemetery of modern Alexandria; and a more melancholy spectacle than it presents, the world cannot show. Grand, majestic and solitary, it is the relic and the monument of the glory it once shared, the magnificence it once adorned. From its capital, gray with the winds of two thousand years, the eye of the visitor falls slowly to the pedestal, and to the ground, where thousands of miserable fellahs lie shoulder to shoulder in the dust of the hills, and looking on their tombs, he scarcely dares lift his gaze again, lest the vision may have departed. He cannot believe that he will see above those vile sepulchres that majestic, that almost holy spectacle. He looks and it is there. Calm, *lofty, motionless*, and he remembers that this dust at its foot may be the dust of ALEXANDER, of BERENICE, *of the Apostle of the Lord, of the stern* CYRIL, or of the beautiful HYPATIA, and he *forgets the Moslems and their accursed graves in the* monument he beholds of departed, but unforgotten *glories*.

Nebraska Politics.

To the Editor of the New-York Daily Times:

In your issue of the 11th inst. occurs the following passage from your correspondent "Scribe," touching upon the political affairs of Nebraska: "In politics everything is quiet up here, though across the river the question as to who shall succeed HON. B. B. CHAPMAN as representative is causing considerable agitation. He is figuring for reelection and has for competitors Gen. THAYER, Gen. LARIMER and Gen. EASTERBROOK all of whom are actively engaged in the canvass. The contest seems to lie between CHAPMAN and EASTERBROOK, and, judging from the host of friends of the latter, favorable to his success."

Now, Mr. Editor, with all due respect for your informant, I beg leave to differ with him, and, Sir, I do so with the experience of two and a half years in the Territory. In the first place, your correspondent "Scribe" has only the information that may be derived from passengers upon a boat, or perhaps conversing with some of the State House Junta in Council Bluff, Iowa, who may be there at the time of your correspondent's temporary sojourn.

The contest is not between Gen. EASTERBROOK and CHAPMAN—on the contrary, the real contest is between Gen. THAYER and EASTERBROOK. As for CHAPMAN, his case is hopeless. The deceitful and double-dealing game that he played during the last canvass will not do now; *he is too well understood; he had a* face that looked both sides of the platter at once—North and South—and after all he did not receive a majority of the votes, but through cunning SMITH and RANSOM they made 500 votes count more than 678. So that easy old Dunsby Governor ISAKO gave CHAPMAN the certificate, but it will not be so now; Gen. THAYER, the people's favorite, the honest Democrat, will be first North and first South of the Platte, Gen. EASTERBROOK *second* and CHAPMAN nowhere,—or in Ohio, where he was 30 days before the Junta elected him to Congress. A word or two in regard to the gentlemen mentioned as candidates for delegate to Congress from the Territory. Gen. EASTERBROOK EASTERBROOK hails from Wisconsin, he is the present United States Attorney for Nebraska—he is a gentleman of fair talents, but not very popular with the people, owing more to their fault than his. General LARIMER is from Pittsburg, Pa., an old-fashioned Hard-Cider Whig. He was at one time an extensive operator in land stock. He has no talent or ability, either as a statesman or politician, but withal an honest and good meaning man.

General THAYER is from Massachusetts, a lawyer of high standing, a gentleman of unassuming manners, with a high sense of honor, well beloved by all who know him, and they are legion; the poor man's friend, and advocate of the Cincinnati platform, where is embodied the following resolution:

Resolved, That we recognize the right of the people of all the Territories, including Kansas and Nebraska, acting through the fairly expressed, and tempered, will of the majority of actual residents, and whenever the number of their inhabitants justifies it, to form a Constitution, with or without domestic Slavery, and be admitted into the Union upon terms of perfect equality with the other States.

Western Emigration and Speculation, and other matters of the Frontier.

Correspondence of the New-York Daily Times.

OMAHA CITY, July, 1857.

In your paper of the 6th inst., I notice a communication from Mound City, Pulaski, Ill., of date June 30, 1857, signed "Vim," headed "A Word About Western Emigration and Western Experience," and think the writer very prudent in his remarks and not half severe enough upon what are called "Land pirates" and paper town speculators." I have lived some thirty years in the far West and know the fact, that he has not told half the story that pertains to emigrants and settlements in the West. As a general rule a man's life is considered "long life" if he lives twenty years. A physician from New-Jersey who settled in Egypt, Illinois, told me in 1828 "that *twenty* years was the length of a man's life in that country, and that if I remained there any great length of time and would notice the fact I would find the truth of his assertion." I did so, and remained just twenty years in the place where the remark was made, and was a walking skeleton, with one foot in the grave, scarcely life enough left in me to put one foot before the other, when a friend came along, took compassion on me and took me away. When I left that place there was not a single male individual alive and living there that was there when I went there, but their graves were there.

One man came there from Tennessee with a wife and nine children, all stout, hearty and healthy when he arrived, who bought a farm and settled upon it. One year after it the man and one child was alive, while the wife and eight children lay dead in the graveyard. He sold out for what he could get (a mere nothing) and took that child and went back to Tennessee satisfied with the Western country. Other cases equally strong are found by the traveler who visits their graveyards, which are more densely populated than their towns. It is called a poor man's country in truth, for men get so poor that they cannot get away nine-tenths of them.

Keen, sharp fellows go thither, enter a quarter-section of vacant land at $1 25 per acre, adjoining a town, get a map made of it, surveyed and divided off into town lots, call it an addition to some county town, and go away to Boston, New-York, Philadelphia and other places, and there employ some Peter Funk to cry off their lots at any price—and all are swindled at any price. I once bought a whole town containing 1,300 lots for $3 62½ (three dollars and sixty-two and a half cents) and got a good title, but found it a dear bargain at that price, because the very next year the taxes were assessed to more than I could pay, not because it was worth the assessment, but because the Assessor thought I would be fool enough to pay any assessment. Another gentleman said he would make me a present of fifty-four lots if I would write the deed conveying them to me, rather than pay the taxes assessed against them.

I can buy good improved farms of 160 acres for $1,000, having all the choicest fruits, apples, peaches, cherries, &c., with good, comfortable buildings and fences upon them, but would not live upon them for $1,000 a year salary—because of the diseases and malaria in the atmosphere. Graves are scattered all around these places, of men, women and children who have tried to live there, all of whom have added their several labors towards improving the places, until they look quite inviting for purchase, &c. I would not give $10 for ten thousand acres of land there, and be bound to live on it, for that would be an impossibility, as death is certain, and all the physicians and drug-shops in Christendom cannot keep men alive. The fevers are many, the diseases numerous and different from any Eastern country. The milk sickness is very violent, sudden and almost always fatal with the human family, and with horses and cattle. The Winter fever prevails, carrying off its tens and twenties in neighborhoods, and is not confined to localities. Quack doctors and quack medicine is preached and practiced by Methodist preachers generally. Whisky-drinking abounds, and the argument used for doing so is bad water impregnated with Epsom salts, that purges and reduces the strong man to a skeleton in a little while. The country is delightful to look upon when the prairie is all in bloom, but it is death to most people. The natives manage to live there, as in other pestilential countries, and persons become acclimated, after a series of years' sickness and great outlays for physicians' bills, purges and emetics, but generally wind up their lives, leaving an insolvent estate to widows and ragged children. I have seen six men and two women in one little cabin shaking with the fever and ague on the Illinois River at one time, not able to help one another, opposite the town of Hennepin, near Beaver River. The general idea is that as the country becomes settled, health follows. It is not so, because their streams, rivers and creeks are slow, sluggish ones, and subject to overflow their banks every year, covering immense tracts of low land, covered with herbage and vegetation, upon which the water lies some days and often weeks, leaving it in midsummer, when the hot sun decomposes the vegetable matter, *from which a malaria arises that spreads far* and wide through the atmosphere, causing disease and death to a greater or less extent every year. The population is changeable, few remaining after the first year's experience who are able to leave, hunting new and healthier localities in the mountains and broken lands. The writer of this has suffered shipwreck in his constitution living there, and, like a good Samaritan, would caution every one to look at their graveyards, count the dead and compare it with the living, before even settling in any place—*regardless of the sayings of* others, or the beauty of the scenery around them.

SHIBBOLETH.

Crops in Northern Illinois and Iowa.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

IOWA CITY, Tuesday July 7, 1857.

Since my last I have passed over the Illinois Central Railroad from Dunleith, in the northwest corner of the State, down to Mendota, in La Salle County, a distance of 132 miles; thence east 30 miles, on the Chicago and Burlington Railroad to Kane County; thence South by carriage to Morris, in Grundy County, on the Chicago and Rock Island Railroad, and from Morris to this place, the last 54 miles from Davenport on the Mississippi and Missouri Railroad. Along the whole of the above route I have not seen over a dozen fields of Winter wheat, though traveling entirely by daylight, and riding in the baggage cars, where the best view of the country can be had through the wide doors on either side. There was considerable surface sown to wheat last Fall, but it appeared so nearly killed out in the Spring that farmers on the prairie lands almost without exception sowed on Spring wheat and harrowed it in. In many places a large extra surface was also sown, and with the Spring variety. This crop (Spring wheat) now appears exceedingly well, and the general opinion seems to be that there will be very much more wheat harvested, all through northern Illinois, than ever before.

Corn is planted quite as largely as ever, and though late here, as everywhere else, the warm weather for ten days past has pushed it ahead with almost magical effect.

From Davenport to this point the rolling prairies are truly beautiful. Spring wheat, corn, barley and oats are growing with the greatest luxuriance. Along this route is the best corn I have anywhere seen, save in the bottom lands of the Great Miami, north of Cincinnati, and along the Mississippi below Alton, in what is called the "American Bottoms." J.

Dessecting Calves.

This term, in dairy districts, is applied to the killing of calves soon after birth. There is no ready market for veal at remunerative prices, and the calf is knocked in the head at the age of three days. The milk of the cow for four or five weeks is worth more for butter and cheese than it would be to fatten the calf for the butcher. It is the prevalence of this practice in the dairy regions that makes beef cattle so scarce and high. Hundreds of thousands of calves are thus prematurely slaughtered every year. A single tannery near Richfield Springs uses up 25,000 skins of these "dessected" calves annually. What a waste of the raw material of beef!

MARKET FORECAST.

We continue [illegible] Harvest prospects [illegible] KELLOGG, Commercial Agency, [illegible] No. 5 Beekman-street; [illegible] from parties [illegible] buying and selling of produce of any kind, [illegible] be considered as reliable.

TEXAS.

Houston County.—With seasons from this time the crop will be heavy, and amount to one-third more than last year. There are now indications of rain. The population of the country has increased in the past 12 months nearly 20 per cent.

Rusk County.—Wheat crops are quite light in this section; the late frosts have injured them much. There will be not over a half crop—oats remarkably fine. The prospects for corn and cotton at this time are very flattering, more so than they have been for many years.

Trinity County.—The prospects for crops are rather flattering, although wanting rain at this time. If one or two more good seasons come, the crop will probably exceed last year by double.

Cherokee County.—The prospects for cotton are very fine; if rain comes soon corn will be abundant, otherwise not so good. Wheat about as last year—more planted, but the frost has so injured it, it is thought that this and last year's yield about equal.

OHIO.

Van Wert County.—The crops in this county never looked better, and from their appearance it is thought there will be an abundant yield.

Combs County.—The prospect for the wheat crop this year is good; if the weather continues favorable there will be an average crop. The corn is small, but growing finely—all other crops promise well.

Clermont County.—The wheat crop looks well, and if not killed with rust will be rather heavy. Corn promises well, but rather behind the season; other crops are looking well.

Delaware County.—The wheat crop did not look well in the early Spring, and owing to the heavy and frequent rains which we have had, fears were entertained that it would prove a failure, but at present the prospect is more encouraging. The corn crop promises fair—other crops look well. Flax, of which a large quantity is raised, never looked better—oats look well. Fruit of all kinds, except peaches, promise well. Potatoes, of which large quantities are planted, look well.

Hardin County.—The wheat crop will, it is thought, be very good. Hay, oats and potato crops will be very heavy.

Hocking County.—The prospects of an abundant harvest are the finest that we have had for many years. Wheat, of which large quantities are sown, looks very well.

Jackson County.—In this County there is but very little corn, the grain from last year's crop. The prospect for wheat the present year is good; corn fair; grass and oats are excellent.

Meigs County.—There never was so much wheat sown in any year before, and never promised better. The corn crop, although backward, looks well; other crops never promised better.

Perry County.—Wheat is backward, but it is thought there will be more than an average yield. Corn and other crops look well and promise a fair yield.

Pickaway County.—The prospects for corn, wheat, oats and hay in this County, are flattering—it is thought there will be an abundant crop.

Union County.—The wheat crop looks very well; think there will be a full average crop, if blight and insects do not destroy it. A large amount of corn has been planted, and the crop will be large should the season be favorable. Other crops look well for the season. Oats and potatoes never looked better. A large amount of flax will be raised here this season.

Franklin County.—The wheat crop promises a fair prospect; there is a much larger quantity sown than usual. The corn crop will also be fine. Other crops will be unusually abundant.

Hancock County.—The wheat crop presents a fine appearance, and unless injured, there will be a large crop. The corn, of which an unusually large quantity has been planted, looks well—the price it commands this year stimulated the farmers to plant more than heretofore. There will be a large crop of oats; it looks fine and will be very stout. Rye will be good. There never was a better prospect for an abundant harvest than at present.

Miami County.—Our crop of small grain is far above average in quality, and larger in quantity than usual. The prospects for crops are flattering.

KENTUCKY.

Hickman County.—There is a fine prospect of our realizing a good crop this year. The wheat crop will, it is thought, be very large. Other crops promise well. The tobacco crop looks well for the season.

Clay County.—Grain crops do not look well. A bad stand of corn; but little wheat; oats tolerable; grass good.

Trigg County.—The prospects for the wheat, corn, oats, tobacco, &c., for the present year are good. There is a surplus of corn and wheat of last year's crop.

Anderson County.—Wheat, rye, oats and barley look remarkably fine. The prospect for corn is fine; although very late, it looks well. From present appearances there will be more small grain raised in this county than any former year.

Boone County.—The crops are promising. The wheat is better than usual in this quarter, stands well, and the heads much larger than usual, but it looks very green and much sultry weather might greatly change the prospect. The crop of rye and oats is better than usual. The Indian corn has been kept back by the cool weather, and it now looks too young to escape the frost. It has, however, a healthy appearance, and good growing weather may bring it out. The tobacco crop will be late, but well set. A good season and late Fall are requisite to give it success. Potatoes look fine and healthy.

Breckenridge County.—There is a good prospect of a full average crop of corn, wheat, oats and tobacco, notwithstanding the lateness of the Spring. Of apples and peaches there will be a pretty good crop.

Muhlenburg County.—The prospects for wheat, corn and oats are very fine; a great deal of tobacco set out. If nothing happens our crop will all be fine. Everything is doing well now.

Perry County.—The wheat crop in this county at present looks remarkably well. All other crops are fine.

Todd County.—The prospects for the wheat crop are very fine. Corn, oats and tobacco crops are very large and promising, and there is no doubt but that the yield of each will be larger than usual.

Allen County.—The wheat crop in this section is very promising; the harvest will begin in about a week, and, if we have good weather, the farmers expect a good yield. The corn crop, although a little backward on account of the late Spring, is also in a good condition. All other crops are very good.

Bracken County.—The crop of wheat, rye, oats, corn and tobacco are exceedingly promising. Should the weather prove favorable for twenty days, our county will yield 250,000 bushels of wheat.

Clay County.—*The grain crops do not look well at* present. A bad stand of corn; but little wheat; oats fair; grass good.

Grayson County.—The wheat crop, which is just ready to harvest in this and adjoining counties, is *unusually good. The oat crop bids fair to be the heaviest* for years. Corn is small, but is now growing finely, and if seasonable from this out, will make a good average crop. There is nearly twice as much more tobacco set than usual.

Graves County.—*The wheat crop at present is better* in this county than it ever has been. Oats as good as ever known here. Corn is backward and small, but is growing finely, and the prospect for a good crop is fair.

Clinton County.—*The prospects for the wheat crop* have never been more promising. Oats and corn promise well, although the latter is small for the season. We have the army worm in parts of the County, damaging the wheat and meadows, but we are now within ten days of wheat harvest. All kinds of stock are high. The failure of crops last year has thrown us at least one year behind.

Grant County.—The prospects for wheat, rye, barley and oats are uncommonly good; Timothy is also very good. The corn crop looks promising, but very backward for the season.

Davies County.—The present prospects of crops are good. Corn is small, but it looks vigorous and healthy. Wheat crops are more than an average, and bid fair to make the most abundant yield we ever had in the County. Grass looks well and potatoes are luxuriant; in fact, the present crop in all its varieties is more than usually flattering in prospect.

INDIANA.

Perry County.—The prospects of crops in this county are very good; wheat is more than an average crop, and there has been sown one-third more than last year. Corn, grass, potatoes and oats look very fine, although backward. Wheat is out of danger of rust. There must be a great change or the crop here will be abundant.

Pike County.—There never was a finer prospect of wheat in this county; it promises over an average. Corn and oats promise well for over an average crop. Grass, a full crop.

Randolph County.—The wheat crop looks finely. Corn is backward; it will be good if cold weather holds off long enough for it to ripen. There is a fair prospect of flax, grass, oats and potatoes. Fruit will be abundant.

Scott County.—Crops never looked so well. The wheat crop will yield one-third more than ever before. Corn, though backward, is very promising. Other crops are better than average.

Owen County.—The wheat crop looks well. Corn, though late, looks fair on bottom land, but not so well on the uplands. Grass, oats and rye look well. Unless we have a very late Fall, corn will be cut very short.

Shelby County.—The wheat looks reasonably well, and, if seasonable, will make an average crop, but will be later than former years. Corn, and other crops, may make an average crop; there never was a time in our county when the whole country was so completely stripped of all our products of former years as it is now.

Switzerland County.—Crops now promise well in this county. Wheat, unless injured by the rain, will be very good; and as the weather is now more favorable, there will doubtless be a large yield. Potatoes will be good; hay very good; the corn crop will depend altogether on the season to come—think there will be an abundant yield of all crops here.

Tipton County.—The wheat crop looks finely; the corn crop looks well, though planted late. Other crops look pretty well.

Madison County.—The prospects of the wheat crop at present were never better. The corn crop is considered fair.

Orange County.—The wheat crop for the present year is excellent; it is the [illegible] There will be [illegible] look [illegible]

Owen County.—[illegible] fruity will entirely depend upon the [illegible] Fall. The glory of our County is the fertility of our soil and the excellent industry of our farmers.

Bartholomew County.—The prospects of a large corn crop, although late, is very good, and encouraging. Wheat promises a heavy harvest, if not injured [illegible] years, inasmuch, that although there is very little old wheat, it is dull at $1 15 per bushel. Not much oats, rye or barley grown, but what there is promises well.

Greene County.—The prospect of the wheat crop at present is good, as also of the corn crop. Other crops better than usual.

Posey County.—The prospects for crops in this county at present are the finest ever known. Farmers are beginning to cut their wheat, and it is estimated that there will be one third more grown than ever before. The corn, potatoes, and all other crops, bid fair to yield abundantly. This is a magnificent agricultural county, one of the finest in the State, and our surplus corn is generally large, which is mostly shipped to New-Orleans.

Putnam County.—The wheat crop never looked better, and a great deal more than usual sown. Corn is backward, but will be good. Grass, oats, potatoes, and all other crops, are very good.

Vermillion County.—The prospects for wheat in this county are fair; corn, oats and hay, good. The crops in general will be a fair average with previous years.

Wabash County.—The wheat, of which a larger quantity has been sown than heretofore, bids fair to be average, if not more than usual crops. The corn crop is very short; other crops on an average.

Adams County.—The prospects in this county for an abundant wheat crop this year are good. Corn and other crops look well.

Benton County.—This is not a wheat-growing country, but more has been sowed than common. Fall wheat is a failure generally. Spring wheat and oats both look well. The Spring having been so very backward nothing definite can be said in reference to the growing corn crops, but unless there be early frost in the Fall, the prospect is very good for a splendid crop.

Brown County.—The wheat crop will it is thought be very good. Corn and other crops will be good.

Crawford County.—The wheat, corn, potatoes and oats bid fair to yield an abundance; indeed, the prospect for produce never was better in this county.

Clark County.—The wheat crop of the present year is most abundant; corn crop is excellent; other crops are very fine.

Clinton County.—The wheat, it was thought, would be considerably injured by the heavy rains that we had in the Spring, but recently the prospects are more encouraging; it will be later maturing than usual, but a much larger amount was sown last Fall than at any previous time, consequently we expect to have about an average crop. Corn, although hurt by the rain, will, it is thought, yield fairly. Oats and potatoes look well, and the grass crop will be very heavy.

Daviess County.—The wheat crop this year is better than was ever known in this county; the corn crops look promising; other crops promise well, but rather late. There is a larger quantity of all the crops planted this year than was ever before known in this county.

Dearborn County.—The present prospect of crops are very flattering; we have had a vast deal of rain, but for some time the weather has been clear and warm, and everything now denotes an abundant crop of wheat and corn, the grain mostly raised in this county.

Fayette County.—The wheat crop looks well. Corn crop is fair, but has not been cultivated as it should on account of the rains. All other crops are very fine. Fruit of all kinds is abundant.

Grant County.—The prospect for wheat the present year is very flattering—more of it sown than ever before in one season. Corn crop is very fine—other crops are good.

Hamilton County.—The prospect of a good wheat crop is fair, as also for corn and other crops.

Henry County.—The prospect of the wheat crop is fair—all other crops are a little backward but promise abundance.

Huntington County.—The prospect for wheat, oats, hay, &c., are good—never looked better. In consequence of the cold, wet spring, corn is backward, but looks well. Everything else promises a most abundant crop.

ILLINOIS.

McLean County.—There is little money in the country at present, but every prospect of a splendid harvest.

ALABAMA.

St. Clair County.—We have had a fine wheat harvest in Alabama this season; in fact, the best that has been for many years. We also have a good oat crop. Have never seen a much better prospect for a good corn crop. Cotton looks badly, and there will be but little made in this section this season.

ARKANSAS.

Desha County.—The prospect of a good crop was never finer in this county. We are some ten days later than usual, but each and every one seems delighted with his prospect for corn and cotton, which are the only products we cultivate to any extent in this portion of this State.

The Grasshopper Plague of Minnesota.

A letter from Anoka, M. T., fully confirms the one lately published about the destruction of crops by the grasshopper army traveling south from Red River. The writer says:

"Their favorite food is tender garden vegetables, beans, onions, carrots, turnips, &c. Potatoes are ruined by being divested of all leaves. Last season they arrived too late to destroy wheat and corn; but, considering their immense numbers, the ground being literally covered with them in many places, farmers considered themselves lucky in getting rid of them as easily as they did, for, with the sharp frosts of Autumn, and the disappearance of vegetation they gradually died off. But this was not the end thereof. It seems that eating did not occupy all their time or attention. Careful observers saw them busy upon the ground about something, which now proves to have been depositing their eggs, which naturalists say the females lay to the number of one hundred and fifty. We had very severe weather here last Winter, the mercury several times sinking more than 40 degrees below zero, yet those eggs, almost on the surface of the ground as they were, came out bright as ever in the Spring. As soon as the snow was gone, and the ground began to get warm, the grasshoppers began to come up, some early and others later, according to the situation the eggs had to the sun. They have been hatching ever since, and I presume are not all out yet.

When first hatched they are quite light in color and but small in size. But there are two things that they can do "right smart" from the first, viz: hop and eat. They hop first, and keep hopping till they find something that suits them to eat, and they are nowise dainty about it *either*, for they don't stop till the supply is exhausted. Of course the consequences are most disastrous. Whole acres of wheat are completely eaten and destroyed in a day. Oats fare no better, and corn will doubtless share the same fate. Some farmers, *becoming discouraged, stopped* short in their planting and sowing, declaring they would not waste their seed.

Others put in their whole crop, but with a faint prospect of ever getting back anything. Some have hoped that they would leave, which they doubtless will do when they get wings, which will not be, I *fear*, till everything in the way of crops is destroyed. As yet they don't eat grass much, but of course when other things are gone they will take that, and then stock must suffer. Water treatment seems to suit them, for they are all the smarter after a hard rain. They come from the West and travel to the East; and when they have eaten everything in Minnesota, Iowa, Wisconsin and Illinois, will have to share the same fate, as our stock is sufficient for all the country below us."

Crop Prospects.

The Oswego, N. Y., *Times* of the 10th inst., says:

"Under the genial influence of a warm sunshine, vegetation that was dwarfed by the rainy season is going ahead with a rapidity perfectly surprising, and almost without precedent. If we do not have a bountiful crop of corn in spite of unfavorable prospects early in the season, it will be because the best possible corn weather does not produce its usual effect. Weather-croakers will have to "dry up" as the wet places do under the influence of the sun's rays. The wheat, as we learn from all quarters, is universally good, and so are barley, oats, potatoes and grass. Our Western exchanges come to us filled with glowing accounts of the abundant yield of the fruitful prairies. By the end of the month the great bulk of the wheat crops will have been harvested. It has been cut in South Carolina, Virginia, Georgia, Mississippi, and probably will be in Kentucky, Tennessee, Southern Illinois and Southern Missouri in a few days. Next week, if the weather should be good, the reapers will have done their work through the heart of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Southern Michigan, and perhaps Southern Wisconsin; and in the course of the week after that the wheat harvest will be nearly completed throughout the Union. The old enemies of this "king o' grain" as it approaches maturity—weevil and rust—have done very little harm yet, and they must work briskly now to seriously damage the crop. There is every reasonable indication that the wheat crop of 1857 will be larger by 25 per cent. than that of any previous year."

Tobacco Crop Prospects.

The Louisville *Price Current* says: "The accounts of the approaching crops of Tobacco are very favorable. Nearly all the plants have been removed from the seed beds, and are growing finely in the fields. Planters have taken the advantage of the frequent rains we have had lately, and neglected other matters to give an early start to their Tobacco. It is not probable that we will have frost until after the crop is safely housed. The number of acres planted this season is largely in excess of former years. Small farmers who have heretofore neglected the culture of Tobacco entirely, have been induced by the high prices which have been realized, to plant from two to ten acres as a kind of venture. This, though trifling in each case, will, when concentrated in market, increase the stocks largely, and keep Tobacco prices during the approaching season. It is, however, not probable that these inexperienced planters will be able to raise prime Tobacco. They will hardly succeed in raising one good manufacturing or shipping

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From the [illegible], June 26.

To those who have been in the habit—and naturally enough—of regarding the Slave-trade [illegible] we beg to offer a succinct statement of facts. Attention must first be given to the distinction between the terms [illegible] Against the latter, as an institution, enough can certainly be said, but with this at present we are not concerned. The former, the Slave-trade, is a thing of which the slave trade—that notorious and infamous business by which God's creatures, being first captured on their native soil, are carried through successive scenes of the most frightful misery till they are landed upon an opposite coast, to be there sold into lifelong servitude—was always [illegible] at least, no plea of custom or necessity can be maintained. We cannot be told at this point that the question has a patriarchal sanction, that it has certain advantages, or that it cannot be terminated without certain difficulties. Whatever may be urged on behalf of domestic Slavery or serfdom, nothing of all [illegible] can be said for that horrible traffic which, of all crimes, is the worst kind of war and the cruelest kind of theft, and which in all its accessories is so thoroughly [illegible] that villanies of the most heinous kind are its general and ordinary incidents. This, and not the domestic institution of Slavery, is what we are now considering—this is what for so long a time, and with such exemplary perseverance, we have been striving to put down.

Now, what is it that stands in our way? Under what conditions is this traffic still maintained, and how has it come to pass that it cannot be absolutely abolished? The concurrence of European Governments against the practice is known, and, indeed, this unanimity has existed for years. The Powers of Christendom, of every degree, have constantly denounced and extinguished the most [illegible] of [illegible], and this concurrence cannot have been [illegible] of the greatest nations of the world have [illegible] to keep the peace of the ocean, on that [illegible] handicraft should attempt; what all Governments have undertaken to forego. In other words, [illegible] the Governments of Europe have [illegible] themselves and other [illegible] that [illegible] be imported into their dominions, [illegible] unhappy beings from the soil of their [illegible] as far as possible by a maritime police. What further conditions, we ask, could possibly [illegible] for the extinction of any traffic [illegible] destruction? As far as undertakings go, every market is closed and every communication interrupted; yet the slave-trade is not at an end. Its prospects have been diminished, but it exists still, and the victims are still to be numbered by thousands. Undoubtedly, all Governments are of one mind, and yet the traffic is not abolished. Where, then, is the obstacle, and what can be done which is all [illegible] already? Ask happens, we can [illegible] out any difficulty on the leak from which the vessel is now suffering.

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NEW-YORK CITY.

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[illegible] Collector for [illegible]

[illegible] could be made between the Government of Great Britain and the United States [illegible] in the United States during the month of June [illegible] it would be [illegible] with the [illegible] report to, there are [illegible] for the Government in the mathematical parts, [illegible] these return have the ship the [illegible] Collector stifles the play in many cases largely in [illegible] advance.

Another [illegible] The system of granting protections to American seamen, and requiring that every ship's crew should be composed two-thirds of American citizens, should be abolished. The requirement is a dead letter, and the American flag should suffice to protect the seamen of American ships as well as the ships on which they sail.

HOW THE NO-ADVANCE PLAN WORKS.—Though it is believed that no vessel entirely under the control of any of the merchants of this City who signed the agreement of no-advance wages to seamen has shipped a crew, in whole or part, with the advance since the 1st of July, yet a trial of the new arrangement has already been made, and, so far with little success. Messrs. WOODWARD & STURGIS, one of the most respectable firms among the shipping masters, have been trying to procure crews for bark [illegible] during the last five days, and have made no progress. The ship *Patrick Henry*, of CORNELIUS GRINNELL & Co.'s line, has been lying in the stream for a couple of days ready for sea, and only waiting for a crew. Very few seamen are applying to the shipping offices at present, and for some time there has been a general stagnation in this department of business.

Among the boarding-masters there is a lively competition. They meet in each others' houses, on the corners of the streets, and everywhere, to discuss the subject, and use all available means to prevent sailors from shipping. Every day they collect in groups about the shipping offices, and keep a vigilant eye on every tar who enters. It is supposed that they prevail on a large number of seamen to stay on shore who really are ready and willing to sail.

On Monday, Messrs. POOLE, PARIS & GERX, Notaries shipped a crew of men bark *Zephyr*, bound to the Mediterranean, without advance, at $16 a month. The vessel will not sail till about Friday, and this will probably be the first case under the new arrangement, unless the boarding-masters frighten the crew from going on board; for it is reported they have threatened that the men shall not go on board the *Zephyr* alive, and it remains to be seen whether the threat will be enforced. As might be expected, the seamen composing this crew are not indebt to any boarding-master, so that this is not exactly a case in point. The fact is, no sailors have yet engaged to ship without advance, and unless the merchants stand firm, appearances indicate that none will be. Those whose authority is good, say that there is not more than one sailor in fifty who is entirely independent of his landlord and owes him nothing.

Orders are frequently received from the Atlantic ports, by the shipping-masters in New-York, for crews, to be engaged here, and forwarded to those places by steamer or railroad. The owners of the vessels of course pay the additional expense, and frequently offer increased pay per month as inducement. No such orders are sent to other ports from this City—all of which would seem to imply that, in this great focus of commerce, sailors are more plentiful than elsewhere. This practice bids fair to become still more prevalent under the no-advance system, and the leading shipping agents are almost daily in the receipt of letters on the subject. In Philadelphia, for instance, the merchants use, with opposing landlords, the argument that they will procure more, or many, of the crews, from this port, in case they (the landlords) oppose the movement. Yesterday one of the leading shipping firms received a letter from the proprietor of the "Sailors' Home," in Philadelphia, ordering two crews—one for California, and another for Liverpool.

THE PORT BILL IN OPERATION.—The Pilot Commissioners having organized under the new Port Bill as Harbor Commissioners, are now engaged in enforcing the provisions of the law as far as in their power. Only one of the three appointed Superintendents, THOMAS L. PARKS, has signified his acceptance; the remaining two, however, have not declined the office. The pilots have been duly notified that it is their duty to report all violations of the law coming under their observation, or to their knowledge. The Harbor Commissioners, it is rumored, will be somewhat inclined to perform the same duty, as their relations to the merchants are of a more intimate and dependent character. Complaints are daily made to the Commissioners by merchants and others of violations of the new law, and in all cases prompt attention is given.

The Commissioners invite all persons cognizant o such violations to report the same forthwith.

INCREASE OF THE STEAM MARINE OF GREAT BRITAIN.—But few of our commercial men, perhaps, are aware of the extent to which British capitalists are embarking in the construction of iron steam-propellers for ocean service. This great interest was but partially developed before the late Russian war, but that war gave an impetus to this branch of the British steam marine, which threatens to largely supersede us in the passenger and light freight business. As evidence of this we have but to refer to the recent establishment of a new British line of steamers between Southampton and Bremen, also between New-York and Glasgow, and New-York and Liverpool—these steamers sailing for the several ports semi-weekly from New-York.

This has excited no little alarm in the minds of those largely interested in the carrying trade.

The packet-ship *Columbia*, of the old Black-Ball line of Liverpool packets, whose regular sailing day was the first of July, has not yet been able to complete her engagements for a full cargo. This line has been celebrated for punctuality in sailing upon the days advertised. This is the first instance in thirty years that any ship of that line has had to lay over for so long a period after the regular day of sailing; this will give some idea of the great depression of the commerce of this port.

At this moment there are no less than *three hundred steam propellers*, ranging from one thousand to fifteen hundred tons, building on the Clyde and in the ports of Great Britain. The steam-engine builders were never more busy than at the present time, and we learn that NAPIER, the celebrated steam-engine builder, has more work engaged than can be executed by him for three years to come.

SEWING MACHINES.—I. M. SINGER & CO. have leased for a term of years the large marble building at the southeast corner of Broadway and Grand-street, and have fitted up the lower floor, at a cost of over $5,000, as an instruction, sales and show room. This is beyond question the finest establishment of the kind ever seen, and reflects infinite credit on the enterprising proprietors, whose income from the sale of sewing machines, during the past year, has been over $600,000, with a promise of still more flattering results in the future. The Singer Machine for heavy leather work and general manufacturing purposes, stands in the front rank, and the manufactory register of machines numbers about 12,000 already sent out. The manufactory is at the corner of Centre and Franklin streets, employs about 300 hands, and is capable of supplying at least 125 machines per week. In addition, the former salesrooms, at No. 323 Broadway, are now used for adjusting the machines preparatory for exhibition and sale. The machines range in price, from $125 to $165, and number from 1 to 5. Of the large number sold not more than one-fourth are of the smaller size for family use; full three-fourths being used for heavy work and general manufacturing purposes. Another item in the business of this establishment is the sale of Linen Thread and silk, specially manufactured for use on these machines. The profits on this item alone last year, amounted to over $15,000.

Messrs. GROVER & CO. have just obtained an injunction restraining the manufacture and sale of the single-thread chain-stitch ten-dollar sewing-machine, which is an infringement upon GROVER's single-thread machine, perfected some three years ago.

The $10 machine is the same in principle as a machine invented in France some forty years since for stitching letters on the ends of fine French broadcloths, making a stitch that will wash out and unravel usually long before a garment is worn out—results which compelled Messrs. GROVER & CO. to abandon their manufacture after a brief trial.

Of the other noted Sewing-Machine manufacturers at present occupying the market, Messrs. GROVER & BAKER furnish a very elegant machine from $75 to $150 in price. For the manufacture of bags this machine is unequaled, as its stitch is peculiarly adapted to this kind of work. These machines, from the peculiar manner of constructing the stitch, take up about twice as much thread or silk as the yard of seam by similar or Wheeler & Wilson's.

[illegible] in Boston, employs about 300 men, can turn out 100 machines per week, and has already manufactured over 5,000 machines.

WHEELER & WILSON's machines are especially adapted for the finer kinds of work used in the family, and for the manufacturing of gentlemen's and ladies' furnishing articles. These machines work more rapidly, with less friction and with a greater economy of thread than most if not all others, and vary in price from $100 to $125, and number from 1 to 5, No. 5 being the family machine. This Company have recently purchased the property of the Jerome Clock Company at Bridgeport, Conn., to which they have added extensive improvements and enlargements, including complete sets of newly-invented machinery for the manufacture of the different parts of their machine, on the principle in use in the United States Armories, by which means every part may be used on any single machine. This Company have invested a capital of about $600,000, and when their establishment is in full operation they will be able to manufacture 500 machines a week should the demand require it. Their sales last year amounted to over $600,000, and thus far give promise of exceeding $1,000,000 for the coming year.

All of these manufacturers are licensed by Mr. ELIAS HOWE to use his patent needle. SINGER & Co. paid Mr. HOWE over $20,000 last year. GROVER & BAKER and WHEELER & WILSON each nearly as much. This patent expires in 1860, after which sewing machine will be likely to be somewhat cheaper.

National Hotel Epidemic at Washington—Report of the New-York Academy.

The following paper was read by Dr. RUSHE CHEESMAN of the Committee, at the last meeting o the New-York Academy of Medicine, and accepted. The subject was again referred to the section, who are to continue their inquiries.

The section of the New-York Academy of Medicine on Theory and Practice and Medical Pathology, respectfully report:

That the paper by Dr. WYMAN referred to them, in relation to the late epidemic at the National Hotel in Washington, together with accompanying documents on the same topic, have occupied two several meetings of the section.

At the first meeting, the author of the paper being present by invitation, was heard; and the testimony of members of the section who had professionally attended any of the sufferers by the epidemic was received, touching the symptoms and treatment. Letters were read from Drs. STORM, HALL, and others, and a free interchange of opinions was had, without reaching any very definite conclusions, in the absence of the full history of all the facts, and pathological information as to the fatal cases which are reported; in both of which respects we are to a great extent without precise and adequate knowledge. Hence the section adjourned and reassembled for still further consultation, after time should be allowed for reflection, and for any further developments. The subject was then discussed in all its bearings, and in view of all the light which has been cast upon it from every source.

Remarks were made, first upon the topography of the locality and its surroundings, where this obscure malady exhibited itself, viz: The National Hotel, within which it first appeared, and to which every known case is ascribed. Its sewers and their traps—its cesspools, sinks, water-closets and their several conduits for the removal of the offal, &c., from the premises, were all inquired into as set forth in the documents before us, and as derived from the personal knowledge of the medical men present. The questions submitted being how far the violation of sanitary laws in these structures, and their condition during the cold weather of the last Winter, would authorize the belief that an effluvia of noxious gases from these sources might impair the health of the inmates, and generate a poisonous atmosphere which would be adequate to the generation of disease.

So far as the opinion of the section was expressed, the affirmative of the latter theory appeared to be generally assented to; which is believed to correspond with the views taken by the Washington Board of Health, and most of the physicians on the spot, who have the best opportunities for forming a correct judgment.

2. The second inquiry was whether the symptomatology of the disease, as described by all the medical observers, and which seems to have been singularly uniform, presents any peculiarity requiring the presence of any other or more potent morbid cause than is to be found in the foul air, which, as it is proved, pervaded, in greater or less degree, the entire building, and which in some of its apartments was intolerably offensive, and beyond relief by the ordinary and available means of ventilation, especially in the sleeping-rooms of the inmates.

The prevailing judgment of the section seemed to regard such foul air and noxious effluvia to be fully adequate to the production of all the symptoms described, confirmed as the statements are by kindred cases and parallel manifestations, concentrated and virulent, of every one; pointing to the miasmatic climate of the locality as contributing to its aggravation.

3. The next topic of consideration was the probability or possibility of the endemic having arisen from any animal, vegetable or mineral poison, as has been suggested, having been mingled with any of the articles of food or drink, used by the guests at the hotel, either by accident or design.

The section, after full discussion, seemed to concur in the opinion that no known poisonous article from either kingdom of nature would have produced all the group of symptoms which so uniformly characterized the cases, and certainly not without involving the stomach itself in more serious mischief than is alleged to have been present in any case.

These several topics having been thus disposed of, a full expression of opinion on the whole subject was called out from the Chairman, and from each member of the section; which seemed to result in entire unanimity of views. Whereupon the undersigned were appointed by the section to prepare a minute of these general opinions, to be submitted to the Academy at its next meeting; not as assuming to decide upon those branches of the inquiry which relate to the chemical, microscopical, and pathological investigations yet to be made, and which may possibly throw new light on this dark subject, but opinions based on all the information at present available, and which may require essential modification from future developments.

With this qualification, we unite in the belief that the source of the epidemic in the National Hotel, at Washington, was solely a poisonous atmosphere, probably engendered in the receptacles for offal and other filth, under the building, or adjacent thereto, in the sewers, &c., these having been obstructed by ice, or otherwise by neglect, until the accumulation of foul air and noxious gases involved the atmosphere in and around the building, and, as in other cases of material exhalation, severely and dangerously affecting its inmates.

This foul air we regard as the one common cause which exposed all who inhaled it to a predisposition to the malady, which itself was modified in individual cases by previous health, and developed with greater or less promptness and severity by excesses, or indiscretions in diet, drinks, exposure, &c., either of which might have been harmlessly indulged but for the universal predisposition induced by the atmospheric poison. And, in like manner, even the predisposition, as in other cases, was not followed by an attack in all such, because no exciting cause was applied of sufficient potency. And, again, many who received this predisposition had no symptom of the malady until days or weeks after they had left the atmosphere of Washington and returned to their homes. Then, under some exciting cause, the disease was developed, their predisposition having remained latent meanwhile. These cases have been sufficiently numerous all over the country, and so well characterized as to be [illegible] at Washington by unequivocal [illegible].

Finally, this view of the subject appears to us to explain many of the [illegible] regarded by authority as marking the epidemic, and which are wholly inconsistent with any theory of mineral poison. For example, while some persons sickened after a single meal, or a single drink taken at the bar, there were many others who ate, drank and slept exclusively in the hotel, throughout the whole endemic, without a single symptom. There were, besides, numbers who suffered an attack who neither ate nor drank in the house, but only visited it, or makup slept there. Yet it is remarkable that no case of the disease is alleged by anybody in which the patient had not been in the hotel and inhaled its air. Hence this common cause, the poisoned atmosphere, having been present in all cases, while none of the other cases are known to have been present in many, and all are known to be absent in others—these facts render our conclusions rational and philosophical. And as it is "illogical to seek for more causes for any effect than are necessary from its production," we are not willing to admit any other poison than that which the foul air of the hotel furnished as the common cause of all the endemic visitation which has been suffered by our Washington neighbors; and we commend to the civic authorities there and everywhere the sanitary lesson taught by this pestilential endemic.

Let none of them henceforth ignore the facts here exemplified, that at whatever season of the year filth of any kind is allowed to accumulate, to an extent sufficient to pollute the atmosphere of any inhabited house, the health and lives are endangered, not merely of its inmates, but of its neighborhood, by the privation of pure air for lack of ventilation, no less than by the noxious and poisonous quality of the infected atmosphere itself.

The views thus briefly set forth are based on the facts of the case as submitted to the section, and might be sustained amply by references and authorities employed during the discussion, but their introduction here has been judged unnecessary in this paper, which is intended only as an embodiment of the discussions and opinions of the section, and submitted as such to the action of the Academy.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

D. M. REESE,
SAM'L FURDY,
JOSEPH M. SMITH, } Committee.
HENRY G. BOWNE,

THE BEEF ELLEN DISCHARGED.—Judge BETTS rendered a decision on Saturday in the matter of the big *Ellen*, proceeded against in the United States District Court, as a slaver. His decision is in favor of the discharge of the vessel, with a specification of probable cause. The points of the decision are not made public.

Why Men struggle to get into the Custom-House.

Of the proposed reforms in the Custom-House the Editor of the *Sunday Morning* says:

"It has been the custom of leading merchants and importers of this City to obtain the services of any clerk and deputy collector in order to transact their business. The entry clerk is one of the most important officers connected with the Customs, and has hard service to perform. He has no right to attend preference to any class of importers; and the rule of the Collector is the rule of the miller, which, years ago, decided that he who presents himself to the hopper first, is to be first served. This rule is carried out by the entry clerk, as long as office hours last; after that, he has made it a custom to serve those who may think fit to employ him.

It is of the utmost importance, to a large mercantile house, to get their goods through the Custom-House as speedily as possible; and, to this end, the head of it will get his papers ready for entry, and handing them to the clerk, will say to him, 'Take these papers home with you to-night, estimate the duties, and prepare them for their passage to-morrow morning, early, and I will pay you fifty, or one hundred dollars, as the case may be.' The clerk, without violating any law of property or honor, accepts the soft importunity; takes the papers to his residence, and often is engaged the whole night in preparing them. He does not, by that action, perpetrate anything like malfeasance, or abandonment of duty. Nobody is injured, and the Government receives all the taxes of the clerk in consideration of time. The operation is perfectly fair, honorable and manly.

In the meantime, a small importer, and a man as that, ascertains that the papers of his contemporary and rival are prepared in advance—and so he might as if he would employ the clerk out of office hours—and he raises a terrible row about it. He complains to the Collector, or to the Secretary of the Treasury, and an order is forthwith issued, to the effect that there must not be any favoritism practiced in the Department, under penalty of removal.

Orders of a similar nature, have been issued ever since we have known sight of the Custom-House. They last for a day, and then the evil, if it be one, is reproduced with tenfold vengeance. It is utterly impossible to put an end to a practice which has existed the last 50 years, and which will last as long as we obtain the means of defraying the expenses of the Government, by indirect taxation.

One of the strong elements which impel many to seek positions as entry-clerks, consists in what is known as outside emoluments. An entry-clerk who is able and well acquainted with the duties of his station will easily derive from his position from $3,000 to $5,000 the year. We know of one who has made his $5,000 the year, "easy;" and yet the actual salary paid by the Government is "[illegible] hundred dollars. It was, originally, $700; then it was advanced to $1,000; then to $1,250; and two years ago it was put up to $1,500.

☞ The ship *Albert Gallatin*, of CORNELIUS GRINNELL's line of Liverpool packets, which port she left on the 19th of June, arrived yesterday morning at Quarantine, with 201 steerage passengers. She is detained at Quarantine, having several cases of small-pox on board. There was one birth on the passage.

LONG ISLAND.

The Cow-Stable Nuisance.

A gentleman who resides in Franklin-avenue, Brooklyn—JOHN T. HUTCHINS, Esq.—furnishes the following account of a visit to the cow stables that the Brooklyn Common Council allow to be perpetuated and rebuilt. In their enlightened judgments, they are no nuisances.

We visited the cow stables on Skillman-street, near Park-avenue, about 5 o'clock on Saturday last, and viewed the cows in their 8-by-7 stalls. We found them as bad, if not worse, in their situation, than we had been informed. Many of them were undergoing the operation of Inoculation. A gash is cut through the tail, and the matter or virus is then inserted, and the wound tied up with a rag; this is to prevent their taking the disease from others. Several we saw without tails, and others with them varying from one inch to twenty inches long—they having lost them by their rotting off while under the inoculation. In this state, they yield their usual quantity of milk, made mostly from swill, to which is added a little water, when it is served to their customers. While we were thus inspecting their most deplorable and filthy condition, we were assailed by having thrown on to us old iron hoops, swill, stones, and various missiles, kicked and thumped, not, however, materially injuring us. We had reason to expect such treatment on beholding the crowd with which we were surrounded. We have since been informed by persons knowing the fact, that a posse of the men intended to have thrown us into a vat or box of such noxious liquid as is yielded from the—not milk exactly—but that which is carried past in wagons, frequently, for enriching the farmers' lands. There was the person who stood behind us with some from the filthy pool in hand, which he intended to throw on us.

Among the crowd, was one of the detectable Police, —who had no name, his number was 169—who said he would arrest us if we did not leave. We invited him politely to accompany us to the station; he declined. We then told the M. P. we should not leave because rowdies told us to do so. We demanded his name. This he would not give; but finally drew from his pocket a napkin or case, in which was his star concealed. We took the number as above. There were lying in open night, yesterday, dead cows, which, we are informed, is nearly an every-day occurrence. We therefore demand from an honorable body, the rights of honorable citizens from the destruction of their property, which in that locality is at least 20 per cent, by thus preventing the erection of those cow stables again, as being an unparalleled nuisance. We wish those who use such, stable milk, would visit them for themselves; they would at once assert that Alderman SCHOLES did not say it was as bad as it is. If citizens should once visit the stables, they would not suffer their hogs to use the milk, if they had them. How can parents feed it to infants, unless they desire their destruction?

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BROOKLYN, Monday, July 12, 1857.

STEAM ON ATLANTIC-STREET, BROOKLYN.—The minority of a Committee appointed to consider the subject of the use of steam on Atlantic-street reported to the Common Council, June 22, the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the Common Council hereby withdraw all and every consent given to the Long Island Railroad Company to use steam on Atlantic-street, and that all ordinances conflicting herewith be hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the running of locomotives on said street is a nuisance, and that the said Company be notified to abate the same.

These resolutions were adopted, by a vote of 20 to 15.

The Mayor vetoed the same, and Monday evening, on motion of Alderman DEL VECCHIO, the resolutions were adopted, notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor, by the following vote: Ayes, 27; nays, 9.

THE POLICE FUND IN BROOKLYN.—In the Brooklyn Common Council on Monday evening, the following resolutions were offered by Alderman VAN BRUNT:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby directed to draw his warrant in favor of the Treasurer of the city of Brooklyn, in the amount of all moneys now in the Treasury applicable to pay of policemen and police officers, as heretofore appropriated for the year 1857.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the city of Brooklyn be, and he is hereby directed, on receipt from the Comptroller of the warrants above mentioned, to draw from their several places of deposit, the moneys applicable to the pay of police officers and policemen for the year 1857, and pay the same over to the State Treasurer, in accordance with section 27 of chapter 569, of the Laws of the State of New-York.

Adopted, ayes 27; nays 9.

Alderman VAN BRUNT asked that the resolution be adopted by unanimous consent, so that the Police could get their pay immediately.

Alderman DEL VECCHIO objected, and therefore the payment of the Police will be delayed another week.

BROOKLYN FIRE DEPARTMENT MATTERS.—The Fire Commissioners of the Eastern District, Monday night reported to the Common Council in favor of suspending ALEXANDER HAMILTON, Assistant Foreman of Engine Company No. 4, for one year for insubordination and for abusive language to the Chief Engineer while on duty.

Also, censuring the Foreman and members of Engine No. 4, Eastern District, for dereliction of duty, in that they have permitted persons called "runners," who are wholly irresponsible to the department and its good officers, to associate with them, taking rides and stealing things of their apparatus [illegible] MURRAY, of Hose Company [illegible] for one year, for disobeying orders [illegible] while on duty.

Referred to the Committee on Fire Department.

A CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.—On Sunday morning a child three years old, daughter of Mr. CORNELIUS DAWSLEY, residing in Hickory-street, Brooklyn, was burned to death by her clothes taking fire. She had found some matches lying about the house, which she ignited and placed among some shavings on the floor in front of the stove. These blazed up and set fire to her dress. Her mother was the first one into the house. She immediately tore off the burning clothes, but not until the child had received such injuries that it died in a few hours. The mother's hands were so badly burned that she was [illegible] for medical assistance.

Brooklyn Common Council.

[illegible] resolution to take [illegible] in August to the [illegible]

NEW-JERSEY.

The Bergen Tunnel—Construction of the Rock—Time and Status—Progress of the Work.

The most of our readers will doubtless recollect that about the latter part of the year 1855, it was concluded by the Erie Railroad Company, to make an effort to obtain the right of way, by private purchase, to open the Tunnel through Bergen Hill, before the object for which the land was obtained was known to the Legislature. The attempt was entirely successful. The land was bought in the name of Mr. H. RAMSDELL, and was immediately transferred to the Long-Dock Company at its original cost. The Legislature of New-Jersey, in the Winter of 1855 and 1856, granted a charter to the Long-Dock Company, with liberal powers, by which they were authorized to make a tunnel through Bergen Hill, construct docks along the Hudson, and the right to make and maintain a different ferry. At that time many persons were of the opinion that it would take six years before the project could be put through, and that when finished the Company would be with money out of pocket. The Company, however, was immediately organized, the stock subscribed, and the work of making the Tunnel was offered to J. H. MALLORY, Esq., who informed them that the work could be done in two years time. He also stated that he should not have the least hesitancy in undertaking the job, which was immediately accepted by the Company. The contract was drawn up, and signed on the 28th of May, and bonds to the amount of $25,000 were given for the satisfactory performance of the contract. The next day the Company assembled at the East approach, where the opening speech was delivered by the President, H. RAMSDELL, which was responded to by the Mayor of Hudson City. Mr. MALLORY then set to work about one thousand men to sink the shafts, of which there are eight in number, and by the 1st of August they were all in active operation. Their progress per day was about six feet, and by the middle of December they commenced to tunnel. It was thought that when they arrived at the required depth the rock would be softer, but it appears that it was not so. It is of the hardest nature—the "trap rock," and is similar to the Palisades rock. The work went briskly on, until about the 17th of last June, when a strike for more wages took place, which led to a fight between the "Corkonians and Far-Downers," which was the means of putting the work behind nearly a month. New hands were however engaged, and since then everything has gone on to the satisfaction of the contractors. In the month of May they made 225 feet headway, and in June, 230 feet. Their general average a day is from 6 to 7 feet, and there is not a shadow of doubt, from present appearances, but that it will be finished within the time specified.

On Tuesday we visited the different shafts. On arriving at the West approach, we found about twenty-five men at work drilling. The work at this end has gone on much faster than at the East approach, owing to the rock being softer. Thus far they have penetrated into the rock, all of 200 feet, and in a fortnight's time they expect to meet shaft No. 2.

We next proceeded to shaft No. 2, and were let down in a tub by means of a stationary engine placed there for hoisting up the blasted rock. There is also a blower attached to the engine for the purpose of forcing down pure air into the tunnel, otherwise it would be impossible for the men to work owing to the impurity of the atmosphere. We then groped our way along by a lighted candle 200 feet to where the workmen were drilling, and in the course of a quarter of an hour we had the pleasure of shaking hands with the workmen engaged on shaft No. 2. Shafts Nos. 2 and 3 are the first that have met. After a visit of three quarters of an hour in the lower regions, we were ushered into daylight again.

The work at the various other points goes on smoothly. At the East approach the workmen have find the rock very hard. Yet they have entered it nearly 200 feet. The [illegible] of powder [illegible] blasted rock which is taken from the middle shafts, are brought here upon cars and lowered down by an inclined plane, to the main track. They are then drawn by a locomotive to the Long Dock, and dumped overboard for filling up. The Company own here, 25 acres below high water mark, which they are filling up rapidly.

The Tunnel is perfectly straight, and 4,311 feet long, exclusive of the rock-cutting at the approaches. It is to be 23 feet high, and 30 feet wide. The heading is driven along the upper part of the tunnel about eight feet high and twenty wide. The hill is quite uniform in height, and is admitted to be about 100 feet above tide-water. The grade of the tunnel is 17 feet above tide, and drains the water East and West from the centre. The whole work is driven on with energy, day and night. There are now employed on it about 1,200 men, and it is expected that by the 20th of November it will be finished. When the cars of the Erie Railroad can reach the river by this route they will save one mile of distance between "the slaughter-house" and the Duane-street depôt in this City. It will also save operating the cars over a rise of 60 feet above tide, besides some 300 feet of curvature, and save twenty minutes of the time made over the New-Jersey Railroad line.

MARKET REPORTS.

Markets Carefully reported for N. Y. Daily Times

NEW-YORK, Tuesday, July 14, 1857—6 P. M.

ASHES—Are in moderate request at former rates; Pearls, $7 62½@$7 66¼; Pots, $7 87½@$7 93¾ ⅌ 100 lbs.

COFFEE—Appears in limited demand, yet it is very stiffly held. Java, 16¼c.@16¾c.; Laguayra, 18c.@18½c.; Jamaica, 12½c.@13½c.; Maracaibo, 13¼c.@13½c.; Rio, 10½c.@13c.; St. Domingo, 13c.; Costa Rica, 13½c.@14½c. ⅌ lb. Stock of Rio here, 60,296 bags.

COTTON—Is lightly dealt in at our quotations: Middling Uplands, 14½c.; do. Gulfs, 14½c.@14¾c.; and other grades at proportionate rates. ⅌ lb.

FISH—The market is poorly supplied and is inactive, yet prices favor factors.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour is heavy and languid—Sales, 5,200 bbls., in lots, chiefly to home dealers, at prices within the annexed range:

Ordinary State	$6 15@$6 25
Straight State	6 25@ 6 35
Extra State	6 50@ 6 75
Superfine Ind. and Upper Lake	6 15@ 6 40
Superfine Ohio	6 30@ 6 40
Fancy Michigan	6 30@ 6 40
Extra Indiana and Michigan	6 50@ 6 50
Extra Ohio	6 60@ 6 75
Fancy Genesee	6 75@ 7 00
Extra Genesee	7 00@ 9 75
Extra Missouri	7 00@10 25

Canadian is plentier and cheaper. Sales have been reported of about 600 bbls., in lots, at from $6 20@$6 for low superfine to very choice extra ⅌ bbl. Southern is in light supply, and is in fair request, at full prices. The transactions since our last comprise about 350 bbls., low Mixed to choice Extra, at $7 25@$9 75 ⅌ bbl. Rye Flour is in demand and is firm, at $4 75@$6 for Fine to Superfine, ⅌ bbl. Corn Meal is quiet, yet steady, at $4@$4 10 for Jersey, and $4 25@$4 30 for Brandywine, ⅌ bbl.

GRAIN—Wheat is in demand, but at drooping prices, for all save strictly prime lots,—which are steady, being scarce. Sales: 13,000 bushels, including choice White Canadian, at $2; choice White Western, at $1 95; ordinary to fair Red Western at $1 45@$1 62½; and prime new Tennessee, amber color, at $1 ⅌ bushel. Rye is inactive and languid, at $1 15@$1 18 ⅌ bushel. Barley and Barley Malt remain as last quoted. Oats are plenty and heavy at 65c.@66c. for Western; 60c.@62c. for State and for Jersey; 54c.@62c. for Canadian; 55c.@59c. for Southern, ⅌ bushel. Corn is also more abundant and cheaper. Sales, 30,000 bushels, at 59c.@63½c. for mixed; 58c.@60c. for Yellow; and 60c.@65c. for White, ⅌ bushel.

HAY—There were 750 bales River bought, at 65c.@70c. ⅌ 100 lbs.

HOPS—Range from 8@12c. ⅌ lb., with a moderate supply and demand.

IRON—Scotch Pig is quiet, yet steady, at $30@$31, usual terms, ⅌ ton.

LEAD—Has not varied much.

LIME—Rockland, 80c. for common, and $1 15 for Lump, ⅌ bbl.

MOLASSES—The demand still continues moderate at quoted rates. Porto Rico, 55c.@57c.; Cuba Muscovado, 50c.@53.; Clayed Cuba, 45c.@46c.; New-Orleans in bbls., 70c. ⅌ gallon.

NAVAL STORES—Tar and Crude Turpentine remain unaltered. Spirits Turpentine is in light supply, and is needed, at 48½c.@49c. ⅌ gallon. Rosin is salable and steady.

OILS—The market is devoid of animation. No quotable change is discernable in prices of the leading kinds.

PROVISIONS—Pork is quiet and irregular in value. Sales, 300 bbls., in lots, at $20 50@$20 75 for Mess, and $18 75 for prime ⅌ bbl. Cut Meats are in demand, and are worth 11c.@11¼c. for Hams, and 9¾c.@10c. for Shoulders, ⅌ lb. Bacon is inactive and nominal at 11½c.@12c. ⅌ lb. Lard is moderately inquired

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Act 2—The [illegible]
Act 3—Grand [illegible]
Act 4—Grand [illegible]

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GRAND JUBILEE AND PIC-NIC OF THE Office-av. Sabbath School, Brooklyn, in the grove of J. C. Bryant, Hempstead, Long Island, on July 15. The exercises at the Stand will commence at 7½ o'clock A. M.; at the Grove at 9½. Parents and children, and addresses by Rev. Rev. [illegible] KENNEDY, of Brooklyn, and Hon. REUT. JOY, of Queens County, N. Y., at half P. M. Dancing engaged for the entire day.

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SCENES OF THE DAY.

The Cunard steamship *America*, with three days' later news from Europe, is now fully due at Halifax, and Liverpool. She had not been signaled at a late hour last night.

The steamship *City of Washington*, from Liverpool Wednesday, July 1, arrived last night. She brings same dates as those received by the Asia, at Quebec, and the Arago at this port—details of which we published yesterday morning.

The Brig *Flora*, Captain Yates, from Dix Cove, West Africa, May 28, reports that the Brig *William Miller*, [illegible] a slaver by a British cruiser, [illegible] The Flora hailed from New Orleans, and had sailed from Havana. She had not [illegible] a cargo of Wydah.

The Galena Advertiser is informed by Capt. [illegible] of the Fire Ferry, who left St. Paul Saturday evening, that a messenger had just arrived [illegible] bringing intelligence that the Sioux Indians had made another attack on the white inhabitants bordering on Spirit Lake, in Iowa—that some whites were killed, many taken captive, houses burned, &c. The white inhabitants and friendly Indians of the neighboring settlements had started in pursuit.

A fire occurred at the State Lunatic Asylum at Utica yesterday, which destroyed that part of the front immediately behind the colonnade, and occupied by the resident physicians, including the chapel, dining rooms, &c. The part occupied by the patients was little damaged, and none of the patients were injured.

Capt. Bunkers, of the steamer *Montreal*, lately leaving the St. Lawrence, has been arrested at the instance of the counsel for the survivors of the catastrophe.

We learn that a promising vein of coal, similar to the Breckinridge coal, has been discovered in the town of Rochland, Sullivan County.

The excitement occasioned by the riot in the Seventeenth Ward continued yesterday, and had not subsided at the hour of our going to press this morning. German excitement is peculiar. It is slow of birth, and lives long. The Germans neglected their usual avocations yesterday. They muttered in strong faces about the lower avennes, all armed, and discussed the affairs of the preceding days. All appeared animated with a strong feeling of revenge. They assembled about the house where the body of HEILGEN lay, and awaited the result of the Coroner's examination. Then assembling in a body, they attended the funeral, taking a circuitous route to the ferry which leads to the Calvary Cemetery, bearing aloft a banner inscribed "Death to the Metropolitan Police." After the funeral the crowds increased, upon every street corner, [illegible] were in Third and Fourth streets, and things generally wore an ugly look. The Police continued at the station-house corner of Bowery and Third-street in strong force, and during the evening the military were called out and held themselves in readiness at their armories. At 7½ o'clock a large meeting of citizens of the Seventeenth Ward was held at the theatre corner of Avenue A and Fourth-street. Speeches were made by Dr. SCHMITZ, Ex-Coroner WILHELM, JOHN COCHRANE, and others. Peace was advocated and refuge recommended at the ballot-box. The Police and military remained on duty all night, but neither were called upon to quell disorder. A few arrests of disorderly persons were made. We give full reports of the proceedings had during the day and evening.

The Street Commission controversy was continued yesterday. Mr. FIELD first spoke to prove that the action of his Honor was not stayed by the certiorari. His argument was brief, and in substance appeared to be that the writ could not operate to suspend the proceedings, because, if it could so suspend them, it would in reality annihilate them; and the issuing of the writ would thus effect a repeal of the statute providing for these summary proceedings. The case was adjourned until Friday, when Judge PARSONS will decide whether or not to quash the writ.

[illegible], a Fourth of July rioter, was [illegible] in the Court of Special Sessions [illegible] by Justice GERGERICH and *Flanderean* [illegible] MCNAMARA, THOMAS GOODWIN and [illegible] BILBY, (aged seventeen,) were severally [illegible] for various offences and assaulting [illegible] on different occasions. [illegible] were acquitted for want of sufficient testimony [illegible] MCNAMARA and BILBY [illegible] guilty. The former was remanded to [illegible] another charge, and BILBY, who appeared to be a hard character, will be sentenced on Thursday.

[illegible] *L. G. Lewis*, arrested as a slaver, was yesterday examined by Marshal BYNDERS, and Assistant District Attorney JOACHIMSEN, but no proof implicating her were discovered. Trunks, chronometers, and a few other articles were sent to the Marshal's Office; they belonged to another officer who had not been found on board. The vessel is well fitted for a slaver, and is said to have a very suspicious cargo. The officers and crew remain prisoners on board. The bark is anchored off Governor's Island.

At a meeting of the Board of Governors on Tuesday of the Lunatic Asylum, a resolution was adopted, that Miss JACKSON, of the primary Ward School, Randall's Island, be reinstated in her position [illegible] months. Mr. W. T. PINCKNEY accepted the post of Governor, to which the Board lately appointed him.

A native African—a Kroeman—yesterday caused a great excitement in the Atlantic Basin, by running ashore on the rigging of the brig *Flora*, in which he had arrived from Africa. He had been [illegible] by stories that he would be sold [illegible] off the topgallant-yard [illegible] and fortunately fell overboard where he was captured by his friends. He was placed on board the cutter and calmed down.

The Special Term of the Common Pleas have decided that under the recent act relating to Justices' Courts in this City, an appeal lies to that Court from the action of a District Court Judge, acting in landlord and tenant proceedings, and in others of a like special nature.

The schooners *Normas* and *Robbin* have received permits to lighter cargo at old Quarantine. The *Colonel Pinckney*, *Abby* and *Elizabeth* and *Bohio* came from the lower to the upper anchorage.

There were seven more arrests yesterday for violating Quarantine regulations, the parties being locked up.

The *Fanchon* was yesterday towed up from Quarantine and carried to the Navy-Yard.

The Executive Common Council on Monday evening adopted a resolution inviting Ex-Secretary GUTHRIE (now in New-York City) to partake of the hospitalities of the city, and tendering him the use of the Governor's Room, City Hall, in which to receive the congratulations of his friends.

THOMAS PHILLIPS, arrested for killing FRANCIS MEHAFFY, at a fight near Monroe Prospect Hotel, Nostrand-avenue, Brooklyn, July 4, was discharged yesterday morning, the Coroner's Jury having rendered a verdict that the offence was justifiable, having been committed in self-defence.

The Dred Scott Decision.

When the country was astounded by the intelligence that the Supreme Court, at Washington, in deciding upon the claims of a negro man, named DRED SCOTT, to the possession of his own person, had laid down the doctrine that, under the Constitution of the United States, no person of the African race could be a citizen of this Union, we declined pronouncing upon the merits of the case, for the good and sufficient reason that the news of this extraordinary result could not be accepted as authentic before its verification by the accurate publication of the Decision itself.

Reports professing to embody the opinions of various Judges were, indeed, put into immediate circulation, and some of these reports were of a nature to excite very peremptory and indignant comments on the part of all the friends of American freedom and republican institutions. But certain of the Justices of the Supreme Court publicly denied the correctness of these printed reports, and the Chief-Justice of the United States, in particular, whose "opinion," as commonly printed abroad, was much more offensive than that of any of his brother Justices in its tone and style, protested against the language which the Press had put into his mouth. It seemed to us, therefore, to be not less a duty of common fairness than the dictate of a proper regard for the dignity of the first judicial body in the country, that we should wait for the official publication of the decision, before we attempted to measure its intrinsic nature, and its bearings upon the political relations of the different sections out of whose conflicting institutions the case itself had arisen. The publication was made some time since, but it was very badly made, being so hastily compiled and clumsily edited, as to be quite unintelligible to the non-professional, and not very clear to professional readers.

Meanwhile the Legislatures of several Free States, and of our own among the number, had passed resolutions denouncing the doctrines unquestionably advanced by some of the Judges in giving their opinions, and the "Dred Scott Decision" had become an element, and not the most quiescent element, in the turmoil of politics. It had been preached against, and paragraphed upon with the most unmitigated fierceness, and the Supreme Court itself, being popularly convicted of treason against free principles, had been likened by the Press and the Pulpit to the Judiciary of England in the days of CHARLES II., and anathematized as unworthy the respect of freemen. Language of this sort had even been used in the resolutions passed by several States reaffirming the rights supposed to be assailed by the decision. Some of the Northern Legislatures, and particularly those of Pennsylvania and New-Hampshire, were more discreet, and contented themselves with a firm and manly exhibition of the determination of the people not to suffer the fundamental principles of their sovereignty to be called in question by any body whatever. The Legislature of New-York, unfortunately, was not of the number of the wise.

Very serious damage to the reputation of the nation, as well as to the cause of good order, was done by these hasty proceedings. It has gone abroad on the wings of the wind over all the world, that the Supreme Court of the United States, in the middle of the nineteenth century, had put an interpretation upon the Constitution of the country, which, if it were to be sustained, would throw our national character back from its place in the vanguard of Christian civilization, to a level with that of Austria or Russia. At home the confidence of the people in the honesty of that branch of the Government, to which the reputation of spotless honesty is as essential as was the fame of virtue to the wife of CÆSAR, has been seriously shaken.

And it now appears that the Supreme Court, in deciding the case of DRED SCOTT, did not decide adversely to the abstract rights of any class or race of men to citizenship in the United States. Three of the Judges, it appears, went out of the record of the case to express an opinion of this sort—which is worth just as much as any other *obiter dictum*, and no more—while of the rest of the bench, one, Judge CURTIS, took occasion to express a directly contrary opinion; two, Judges MCLEAN and CATRON, are known to have expressed a directly contrary opinion in former cases, and three expressed no opinion at all on the subject.

In the bitterness of our dissent, therefore, from the doctrines volunteered by the Chief Justice and his two associates, we must be very careful not to stigmatize the Supreme Court as an enemy to freedom—for the Supreme Court has done nothing whatever to invite such a stigma. The *obiter dicta* of the Pro-Slavery Justices have a political value of which we must not lose sight, and illustrate in a very striking way the tendencies of opinion in certain sections of this country. But they have absolutely no other value, and illustrate nothing else.

Equally unfounded is the impression, that in the Dred Scott case, the Supreme Court pronounced the Missouri Compromise unconstitutional. This subject, also, was not within the purview of the Judges in the case before them; and here again applies the principle recognized by the Supreme Court, that nothing shall be held to be a decision of that Court, which is not a decision of a subject actually before it. An able article in the current number of the *Law Reporter*, discusses the whole case with singular clearness and ability, and those who would estimate more fully for themselves the value of the decision, cannot do better than to read that paper, which is attributed, we may add, to two gentlemen of the Suffolk Bar, Mr. HORACE GRAY, Jr., and Mr. JOHN LOWELL.

The Era of Mobs.

The fermentation among the rowdy portion of our population continues without abatement, and is likely to continue some time longer, until there shall be an example made of somebody, to teach the ruffians who disturb the peace of the City what must be the certain consequences of these violations of law. It is usual in all cases of mutiny and revolt to hang the ringleaders, and let the subordinate rascals escape, *on promise of good behavior*; but we are reversing the ordinary rule in the case of our City riots, and while we do so we have no right to expect a subsidence of the rowdy spirit which has been evoked by the conduct of our Mayor. He must be regarded as the ringleader in all the mobs, for it was his audacity in setting the law at defiance, in refusing to obey the highest legal and legislative powers in the State, and in publishing proclamations and messages filled with incendiary epithets and contemptuous sentiments against the supreme authority, that has infused the spirit of lawless insubordination and reckless violence into the minds of the ignorant and baser part of the population. While he goes at large with impunity, after his open violations of the law, it cannot be expected that the ignorant and the ill-disposed should stand in any fear of the Police or the Courts. A special Court of Oyer and Terminer was appointed by the Governor, as was supposed, for the express purpose of taking the case of the Mayor's rebellion in hand; and the Mayor's friends were anxiously watching to see what would be the consequence of their leader's contumacy. But they saw the Court adjourned until next September without anything being done or attempted to be done, and they have taken heart accordingly. The riots have continued, and are likely at any moment to break out in any part of the City, on the slightest provocation, until high and low shall be taught that whoever disturbs the public peace, or resists the officers of the law, will have to bear the penalty of their transgression.

The State of the City.

The model parent in *Punch* boasted that his children were never unruly when he gave them their own way! Mayor WOOD's boasted quietude for the City during his administration may be explained on the same principle. His "Dead Rabbit" friends in the Sixth Ward and his "Mackerelville" cronies in the Seventeenth, have been allowed their own way. The guerilla warfares of the one on election day, or among the garroters, and the free and easy defiances of the others on Sunday and general holidays, were covered up discreetly by the Police, or humored. The moment that the law steps in with wholesome checks and restraints to Dead-Rabbit dom and Mackerelvillians, and the model Chief Magistrate is shorn of his power to let his children do as they please, that moment it is which discloses riots and bloodshed, and uncovers the thousand festers on the municipal body which the probe of reform is to explore.

It will be the business of the new Police to thoroughly cure these riotous disorders, and let fear conquer instead of observing an expedient supervision over them. Their forces are yet new; without station-houses they are like raw troops destitute of tents or barracks. The Aldermen who refuse accommodations; the old Police who incite by mutinous language, or mutinous presence; the papers that throw daily embarrassments by false reports of police doings; are each and all moral participants in promoting the riotous disturbances.

Every citizen has an interest in the matter. For, by the law of April 13, 1855, compensation is provided for all those whose property is injured by a mob, to be paid by the City upon judgment. Messrs. HAY & CO. will shortly have their demand upon the Mayor and Aldermen for the injuries done to their building, and it may be that other cases will arise.

The experience of the Aldermanic trials and those of LEWIS BAKER, the paltry punishments doled out by Judge RUSSELL for election riots, teach us that the criminal Courts under an elective judiciary, are almost powerless to reach and punish. Yesterday Recorder SMITH embraced the opportunity to administer State Prison to a rowdy who jumped upon a man with his boots and killed him, and the extreme term of Penitentiary to a friend of the Mayor, who had beaten a neighbor with savage cruelty. All that is now wanted is active and extreme measures by the police and the military.

The Revolt in British India.

The intelligence which we publish this morning in a letter from India, and which is confirmed by other sources, indicates a state of affairs in that country which probably finds no parallel in the whole history of the British Empire in the East. That mutinous spirit, which, since February last, has been spreading through the Sepoy ranks of the British army of Bengal, developing itself in solitary instances of dissatisfaction, has at last broken out in a general and fearful rebellion, accompanied by all those tiger-like ferocities which have ever characterized Asiatic warfare. The native Infantry and Cavalry, stationed at Meerut, in one of the upper Provinces, have revolted, shot their officers—slaughtered the English residents of the cantonment—fled to Delhi, turned that city into shambles, butchering every Christian man, woman and child, and setting up a representative of the old Mogul dynasty as their King. The Government at Calcutta is concentrating all its available forces around the rebellious city—and is, at the same time, so much alarmed for the safety of its own Capitol and Treasure, that it has turned the Sepoy garrisons out of Fort William, and supplied their places with English regiments.

This revolt, which, either open or secret, *extends through the whole of Upper India*, from Calcutta to Lahore, is, without doubt, the severest blow ever struck at the British power in the East. *It is pregnant with consequences of the gravest importance*, as not only the Hindoo, but the Mahommedan troops, sympathize in the disaffection.

We observe, in the India papers, that a variety of causes are assigned for this mutiny. It is attributed to the *caste* system, to the seniority system, to the brigading system, to the enlistment system, to the staff system, &c., &c. The evils of the Army system in India are numerous, without any doubt, and it is very likely to the whole system that the origin of this mutiny may be attributed. These mutinies are an evidence that a hatred of the British rule is widely spread in some quarters of India, and it is probable that the Sepoys have been tampered with by native chiefs. That the mutiny will be crushed is a matter of course, but what to do with the mutineers will be a question presenting many difficulties to the Government. The Sepoy regiments that have thus far broke into open mutiny, represent a force of 8,000 men. To disband and scatter such a large number of rebellious spirits, will be a measure of doubtful policy, while to execute these men by martial law, may not produce the best feeling among their hundred thousand comrades who yet remain in the British ranks. The crisis calls for the very highest qualities of statesmanship as well as generalship. In the Rawul Pindee Mutiny, during Lord DALHOUSIE's administration, Sir CHARLES NAPIER was at the head of the army, and his skill met and surmounted a gigantic difficulty, in a manner which brought renown upon the administration. If his warnings had been heeded in 1850, the mutinies of 1857 would probably never have occurred. And if the combined skill of Lord CANNING and General ANSON, can now accomplish what NAPIER did, in 1850, the British nation will hold them in grateful remembrance.

A Formidable Flea-Bite.

The flea certainly is an animal more admirable than agreeable. We must concede that his agility is amazing—but we cannot commend his temper. We must admit that his muscular force is miraculously disproportionate to his bulk, but we must lament also that his ferocity should equal his force. Small, neat, strong, alert, he is yet one of the most odious and vexatious creatures on the earth. So odious and vexatious is he that it is a just subject of surprise that he should not long ago have found honor with heraldic designers. For nations have always delighted to symbolize themselves in the guise of the most annoying and detestable beasts. Norman England rejoiced to appear as a leopard. Scotland disguised herself as a rampant lion. The free Swiss, foreshadowing in the Middle Ages the fiercest contests of the modern monetary world, clothed themselves with the terror of the Bernese bears, or the exultant wrath of the bulls of Uri. Monstrous eagles, of an impossible anatomy, spread their disastrous vans over the glittering array of the Prussian monarchy—and of the great despotic Empires of Eastern Europe. We ourselves, rejecting the temperate suggestions of a FRANKLIN, selected the winged fillibuster of the Atlantic air to bear our thunders abroad over the world. Why has the flea been so long neglected?

It is not easy to answer this question. Nor is it, fortunately, worth while to answer it now. For the flea has at last assumed his place among the crowned and carniverous types of national life. He has been adopted as the emblem of the State of South Carolina, and will be borne upon the banners of that Commonwealth when they wave in triumph over the ruins of the American Union.

For this important intelligence we are indebted to the Charleston *Mercury* of July 9.

In that paper we find an elaborate account of the celebration of the Fourth of July by the "Flea-bite Company" of the parish of St. Matthew, which is a prosperous district of the Palmetto State.

Our columns have contained not a few similar accounts of curious celebrations of the Fourth of July in different parts of our common country. We had the Boston celebration, at which the orator insulted the audience, and the audience in return insulted the orator. We had our own celebration, which consisted of a brilliant fight between Dead-Rabbits and Bowery Boys over a French barricade. We had the Indiana celebration, which embodied a declaration of independence by the prisoners in the State Penitentiary, with a grand discourse in favor of giving everybody everything, by a distinguished murderer. We had the Mormon celebration in Connecticut, which astonished us with a programme of Revolution in Utah, and universal polygamy. But nowhere and by nobody was the Fourth of July more oddly celebrated than in the parish of St. Matthew, in South Carolina—and by the "Flea-bite Company" of that illustrious locality.

Of the "Flea-bite Company" we are not informed whether it has been organized with the intention of immediately biting the North and the rest of mankind, or whether the name which it bears is simply intended to let us all understand that this Company would easily make but one flea-bite of all of us. But whatever the views of these flea-bitten heroes may be, they had a meeting, and to them an oration was delivered by Capt. D. R. JAMISON. This production is praised in the *Mercury* as being "characterized by sound thought and sober reflection." It advocated the immediate annihilation of the Union—declared the South *to be much stronger than the North*, (just as the flea is declared by anatomists to be stronger than the elephant,) and pronounced the United States to be "rotten to the core." "Well pleased" with their orator and their oration, the flea-bitten then proceeded to dine, and having dined, to "drink toasts" as the manner of other men is.

They toasted the President, which was very obliging, and expressed a "hope that he would not prove recreant to the various constitutional duties assigned him." They toasted the "staple productions of the South," as being "the chief source of Southern wealth." They toasted each other, like genial and generous fleas, and failing any response from the President or the "staple productions," made a great many replies to each other. One of them, who bore the appropriate name of WHETSTONE, offered himself for the sharpening of their wits by toasting Ex-President PIERCE as the "Model President and stern patriot," adding the wish, "*sensu in cutem redeat*," a wish which we, understanding the White House to be Mr. PIERCE's true Heaven, do most cordially echo. Another hero toasted General BENHAM, the successor of Colonel PRESTON BROOKS, with the appropriate imprecation, "May his arguments be as striking as those of his predecessor." And the orator of the day wound up the proceedings with a "toast," implying that the only decent Union possible would be a union of the South "to dissolve all connection with the North."

So the sons of the flea kept their high holiday. Change the names and the place, substitute Charlestown for Charleston, and WENDELL PHILLIPS for Wheatstone, and what an outcry should we have against the "disorganizing Garrisonians of Massachusetts." But we submit it to the sense of our readers whether ABBY KELLY herself, felicitously stigmatized by Mr. WENDELL PHILLIPS as the "flea of Conventions" at the North, ever so clearly indicated her claims to the title as this Convention of self-styled fleas at the South?

ANOTHER METROPOLIS.—One of our Philadelphia cotemporaries has been making faces at this City on the subject of Italian Opera:

"In this metropolis, Philadelphia, [says our cotemporary,] the Academy of Music was filled through a season of some sixty nights of opera, extending from March to June, and filled, too, with a metropolitan audience. Now, too, that the regular time for opera is past, and promenade concerts are in season, the Academy is still crowded every night. When cool weather comes again, it will be resumed for operatic performances, and Philadelphia will again show New-York how to support the opera, without resorting to spasmodic efforts at aldermanic and 'general' of

[illegible] Academy of Music is doing so [illegible] the Italians are so well appreciated and [illegible] in Philadelphia, but that any [illegible] has become a metropolis, and can fill the Academy with "metropolitan audiences." Every rural village will be calling itself a metropolis after this.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE

By Telegraph to the N. Y. Daily Times.

Magnetic Telegraph Co's Office, 0 Wall, cor. 10 Broadway.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Appointment of Chief Justice of Utah—Instructions Relative to the Mexican Treaty—The New-Granada Difficulty, &c.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Daily Times.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, July 14.

E. D. ECKLES, of Indiana, is appointed Chief Justice of Utah.

One of Gen. WALKER's Adjutants is the author of the story of the subscription of $100,000 in the States for a new expedition to Nicaragua.

The instructions relative to the Mexican Treaty are prepared. Tehuantepec is to be acquired. The rival Tehuantepec grantees, GERAY and the Slow interest, have compromised. The Government takes the matter into its own hands, as I advised three months ago, in the DAILY TIMES.

Rotation in the Diplomatic and Consular offices is to commence this week.

The President retires to-morrow to the Military Asylum as a Summer retreat. X. Y. Z.

[FROM ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT.]

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, July 14.

The policy of immediately opening the Nicaragua Transit route is under consideration. General CASS is of opinion that, in default of any permanent Government in Nicaragua, it is our duty to afford protection to our citizens and commerce, and he fully maintains the position taken in his letter to the Walker meeting in the Park last year, and being sustained by Mr. BUCHANAN's letter, when Secretary of State, to Mr. HISS, the American Charge to Central America, on the subject of the Nicaragua route.

The article in the *Union* in defence of Gov. WALKER's policy in Kansas, was written under previous submission to the President, and the *Union* is fully recognized as the Administration organ.

UNO.

[FROM THE REPORTER FOR THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, July 14.

The Navy Department received official despatches to-day from Commander MONTGOMERY, of the *Roanoke*, in which he says that reports from credible sources have reached him, such as to induce the belief that our difficulties with New-Granada are in a fair way of speedy and amicable settlement.

The adjustment of the lands granted to Arkansas and Missouri, by the act of Congress of 1855, to aid in the construction of a railroad from a point on the Mississippi River, opposite Cairo, *via* Little Rock to the Texas boundary, has been completed at the General Land Office, and approved by the Secretary of the Interior. This forms a connecting link between the Illinois Central and Pacific Railroad. The amount of land already apportioned to Missouri and Arkansas is 1,195,000.

D. E. ECKLES, of Indiana, has been commissioned as chief Justice of the United States Court for the Territory of Utah. Mr. DODSON will be continued as Marshal there. The United States Marshal has not as yet been selected. With this exception all the Federal appointments for that Territory are made.

JOSEPH FORTUNAT HERMOSIN has been recognized by the President as Consul from Belgium for Chicago.

A bounty land warrant for 160 acres was issued by the Comr. of Pensions to-day, to Hon. ROBERT M. MCLANE for his services in the Florida war. This is the fifth warrant that has been issued to Hon. LOUIS MCLANE's family—one to himself for services in the war of 1812, and one to each of his four sons for services either in the Florida or Mexican war.

The President has postponed his visit to the Springs. He will, on Wednesday, remove to the Soldiers' Home, but transact business at the White House daily between the hours of 12 and 4.

The President to-day gave the Kaw delegation of Indians from Kansas an audience, in the presence of his Cabinet. They represented to their "Grand Father," as they called the President, the manner in which the whites commit trespasses on their reserves, and claim their rights to the lands designated as the half-breed Kaw lands, lying on the North side of the Kansas River, opposite, above and below Lecompton. They are willing, if necessary, to make a new treaty. *The President referred their complaints to the Commissioner on Indian affairs.*

The Recent Intelligence from Nicaragua and Its Effects—Probable Invitation to Walker to Return—Action of Government, &c.

(Correspondence of The New-York Daily Times.)

WASHINGTON, Monday, July 13, 1857.

The intelligence from Nicaragua takes no one by surprise. It was foreseen that the Machine-Party Government would refuse to act in concert with the allied States, and thus the hatred between the Legitimists and the Chamoristas would be renewed, as soon as the strife between the Allies and the Filibusters should cease.

It is even supposed here that WALKER will receive, by the packet which has just arrived, an invitation from RIVAS to return to Nicaragua.

The feuds between local interests in Nicaragua and between the petty States of Central America, appear to be perpetual and unappeasable.

The projects of the steamboat speculators, WEBSTER, MORGAN & GARRISON, VANDERBILT, GRINNELL, or whoever may be the parties concerned, are utterly confounded by this movement. They cannot succeed in any negotiation for the reopening of the Transit route, with the assent of Costa Rica and Nicaragua, or in obtaining a franchise for the use of the same; and cannot present, as it was their purpose to do, a practicable plan for these desirable objects to this Government.

President BUCHANAN will be embarrassed by this state of things,—doubly so, as he will have to deal with fillibusterism on the one hand, and with the claims of Costa Rica on the other—both of which are impediments to the communication between the Atlantic and Pacific by the Nicaragua Transit.

What will he do with the new fillibuster crusade? Will he carry out the principle of the recently-divulged instructions to Commander DAVIS—which are to prevent depredations upon any States or communities with which the United States are at peace? Will he enforce the Neutrality laws of the United States?

Then, again, what will he do in regard to a renewed occlusion of the transit by Costa Rica? He has over and over again declared that Costa Rica should not block up the transit, and that he would not recognize her claims to any control over it. But, when she shall, in self-defence and for self-preservation, blockade the river, San Juan, will he carry his declaration into practical effect?

My opinion is that, in regard to this matter, he will take upon himself as little responsibility as possible, and delay any action until Costa Rica shall act. He cannot make war upon Costa Rica without a declaration of war by Congress. He might execute the laws for the prevention of hostile expeditions against other States, in violation of our neutrality, but it is hardly probable that his attempt will be more efficient in this direction than that of the late Administration.

Present appearances are very adverse to a speedy reopening of the Nicaragua Transit route, or to the pacification of the factious little States of Central America.

I do not know why it is that Costa Rica, the most enlightened, peaceable and industrial of those States, should have become so extremely odious in the eyes of our Government. They have always been willing to accept terms of accommodation consistent with their rights. They accepted the proposition of the Webster-Crampton treaty, which conceded to them only a small portion of what they claimed in regard to their boundaries. They accepted the terms of a compromise—Nicaragua refused them. It was intimate for Nicaragua and for Central America that she did so. Many evils have followed in the train of that unwise and rash action. X. Y. Z.

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[illegible] Tuesday, July 14.

The fire at the Lunatic Asylum has been extinguished. That part of the building occupied by the patients was little damaged, and none of the patients were injured. No additional accommodations will be required for them immediately, and one of the attending physicians says they will be all at home [illegible] by to-morrow night in the wards behind the part which was burned. The front of the Asylum which was [illegible] behind the colonnade, and which was occupied by the resident physicians, and contained the chapel, dining rooms, &c., was destroyed by the fire.

From the Steamship Florida.

OFF CAPE RACE, N. F., Saturday, July 11—8 P. M.

We have thus far had a very pleasant passage, and expect to reach Liverpool next Friday. All well and all in good spirits. CYRUS W. FIELD.

[C. W. FIELD, Esq., of this city, left Newfoundland in the steamer *Persia* last Wednesday, and brought the above communication to the St. John's Telegraph Office by a fisherman about ten miles outside of Cape Race. This fact would seem to demonstrate the entire practicability of obtaining news from the Atlantic steamers as they pass Cape Race, and should the Atlantic Telegraph Cable fail from any cause, we understand that the Telegraph Company will make [illegible] arrangements to carry something of this kind into operation.

Great Cricket Match at Albany.

ALBANY, Tuesday, July 14.

The New-York players on the first inning scored 78 runs. The State players then went in for their second innings, and scored 116 runs. At the close of the play, to-day, the New-York Gentlemen on their second innings, had scored 18 runs, with four wickets to go down. It is believed that the City players must lose.

The Rebecca Case.

AUBURN, Tuesday, July 14.

Judge ROBINSON, in the Court of Sessions in this County, this afternoon charged the Grand Jury that it was a misdemeanor to sell liquor without a license, and that the law fixes the penalty at $50 for each offence, and that one must be collected by suit.

Special Session of the Massachusetts Legislature.

BOSTON, Tuesday, July 14.

The Legislature assembled at 11 o'clock to-day in special session, to district the State for Senators and Councillors, and to apportion the number of representatives to the several counties.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Canal.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Tuesday, July 14.

Freights at this port have advanced decidedly, and vessels are in demand for all the Northern and Eastern ports, in anticipation of the speedy completion of navigation of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal.

Col. Sumner's Command.

ST. LOUIS, Tuesday, July 14.

Capt. WHARTON from Fort Kearney, has arrived here, and reports that advices had been received that Col. SUMNER's command was eighty miles from Fort Laramie, and that they were all well.

Arrest of the Captain of the Steamer [illegible].

QUEBEC, Tuesday, July 14.

On the demand of the consul for the [illegible] Captain Bouchard, of the steamer [illegible] sailed to-day and imprisoned to await the action of the Judge, which will be pronounced [illegible] to-morrow or Thursday.

Fire in Montreal.

MONTREAL, Tuesday, July 14.

The Douglas Mills in this city were destroyed by fire last night. The loss is about $8,000.

At the fire a quarrel took place between the Orangemen and Roman Catholics, in which several persons were injured.

The Health of the City of New-Orleans.

NEW-ORLEANS, Tuesday, July 14.

The yellow fever has appeared here this season. The deaths in the city this week were only 84, mostly children.

Movements of Gen. Walker.

NEW-ORLEANS, Tuesday, July 14.

Gen. WM. WALKER arrived here this evening.

The Marine at Charleston.

CHARLESTON, Tuesday, July 14.

The United States steamship *Marion*, Captain FOXES, arrived here from New-York at 10 o'clock this morning.

Arrival at Chicago from Liverpool.

CHICAGO, Tuesday, July 14.

The schooner *Medora* arrived here this morning, being the first vessel that has come in this port from Liverpool.

Non-Arrival of the Asia.

HALIFAX, Tuesday, July 14—11 P. M.

The Royal Mail steamship *America*, due here at this port from Liverpool, has not up to the present hour been signaled. Weather cloudy and foggy.

FALSE OF FERRY LEASES.—At 1 P. M. yesterday, at the City Hall, bonds for the years 1858 and 1859 were sold at public auction of Hudson River Railroad's Hoek Ferry. Not [illegible] proposed, including the [illegible] and the undersigned, [illegible] porting and conducting the same. [illegible] put up [illegible], and two bidders entered into competition for it. The highest figure the [illegible] chosen was willing to give was $[illegible] a year, at which sum it was struck off to Mr. A. W. [illegible] This ferry runs from the foot of [illegible] River, to Hunter's Point, the terminus of the Flushing Railroad. [illegible]

PASSENGERS FROM THE SOUTH.—The steamship [illegible], Capt. WOODHULL, arrived early yesterday morning from Savannah, bringing a large number of passengers, who are now flocking Northward to escape the summer months. Large quantities of cotton are now received by [illegible]

THE FIRE ALL [illegible] WALDEN [illegible] [illegible]

THE AFRICAN SLAVE-TRADE.

Another Slaver Recently Seized by a British Cruiser.

Made to the Slavers in Port.

Examination by Marshal Rynders of the Crew of the J. G. Lewis.

Live Brownsn in the Atlantic Ports.

Marshal RYNDERS, with Mr. JOACHIMSSEN, of the United States District Attorney's office, yesterday went on board the bark *J. G. Lewis*, now lying at anchor in Buttermilk Channel, under the guns of the United States Revenue Cutter *Washington*, to examine her, for the purpose of obtaining such proofs as might convict the owners of the illegal traffic in which she is suspected of being engaged. The *J. G. Lewis* is a fine bark of 560 tons, and is equipped in the best possible manner for a slaver, having water casks, and a sufficient boiler for cooking, and the whole vessel, throughout, has the look and appearance of a model slaver. The hold, also, is fitted for the stowage of slaves, and, if she would sail well, her cargo, if she carried one, must least last been stowed away. The officers, and crew, at least, has been fitted out, by Mr. WILLIAM [illegible], of the firm of WM. [illegible] & Co., and, when Marshal RYNDERS and Mr. JOACHIMSSEN went on board, they found the officers and men, to be, to all appearances, a set of as fine looking fellows as ever sailed out of this port. The officers, and men, were all dressed in the best of clothes, and, from their appearance, they might be taken for any thing but what they are

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[illegible] the balance of their stock to No. 47 Bowery, [illegible] of their old store,) and has other all of [illegible] wishing to clear out before the new [illegible] is erected.

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The public will therefore please take notice that the sale will commence on Monday, July 13, and will be continued [illegible] September. Arrangements have been made to have goods delivered in all parts of the City and its suburbs.

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$5.50 BOOK WRITING, 16 LESSONS.—Book keeping, arithmetic, algebra, $10. Stationery [illegible] any hour, day or evening. PAINE'S [illegible] Bookery and No. 292 Fulton-st., Brooklyn. Commutation by the month or quarter at half price. An accomplished penman and skillful teacher, Col. Paine [illegible]—Newport Daily News.

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$5 REWARD.—WILL BE PAID TO ANY ONE delivering up a BLOTTER MINUTE BOOK, recently left on the seat of one of the Broadway omnibuses, going up town. The size of the book is about 8 by 12, or folio size, half bound, and is of no use to any one but the owner. Apply to EYRE & SPOTTISWOOD, No. 152 Nassau-st., New-York.

$25 REWARD.—LOST, ON THE NIGHT OF Thursday, the 9th inst., in West Broadway, a GOLD WATCH and CHAIN, No. 400, Joseph Johnson, Liverpool, maker. The above reward will be paid and no questions asked if whoever will restore said watch and chain, on application at the Times office. Pawnbrokers and others please stop the above.

$5 REWARD.—LOST, ON SUNDAY EVENING, in or near Washington Parade ground, a small black and tan smooth-hair English Terrier DOG, answers to the name of Spider. Whoever will return the [illegible] to Rose University-place, corner of Waverley-place, will receive the above reward.

LOST OR STOLEN.—A NOTE OF DANIEL LOUBIER & Co., dated May 27, 1857, payable to their order in [illegible] days, for $3,195, due [illegible]. Payment has been stopped. The finder will be [illegible] on returning it to JOHN B. MURRAY, No. 44 [illegible]

FOR SALE.—HOLLAND'S MECHANICAL KNEADING TROUGH AND HOT AIR OVEN, for the manufacture of Bread, Biscuit, Pastry, &c., patented for the United States, are now ready to entertain offers for the country and State rights. The inventor is entirely disinterested from any interest brought under [illegible] for the prosecution of the best [illegible] with an immense saving of labor [illegible] and cleanliness, with full description and [illegible] to bakers, or those will be ready to [illegible] address [illegible] HARRINGTON, PILLS & MORRIS, Parks [illegible] P. PEPPARD, No. 8 Bond-st., New-York; [illegible] PENYLEE, No. 9 West-st., New-York.

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WANTED—SITUATIONS FOR A GOOD PLAIN cook, washer and ironer, who understands her business; makes good bread and plain pastry; is kind to children; competent and faithful. Also, a middle aged German woman, well recommended, for housework; steady and industrious. Apply for 3 days at the American and Foreign Employment Agency, No. 96 Atlantic-st., Brooklyn.

WANTED—BY TWO COMPETENT, TIDY girls; one is fully competent to take the entire charge of a baby or growing children; washes for the nursery; is quick at the needle; makes children's clothes; wages $4. The other as chamber maid and waiter, or as chamber maid, who will assist with the washing. No objection to a boarding house, city or country. Excellent reference. Call at 216 East 22d-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT living woman, a situation where either sewing and waiting upon a lady, or sewing and light chamberwork will be her principal employment; has no objections to going in the country; the best of references given. Call or be seen by applying at No. 95 12th-st., between 5th and 6th-ave.

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A YOUNG woman, is capable of taking the full charge of a young baby and sew; is also willing to do chamberwork and the washing and ironing, including fluting; City references can be had from her last employer. Call at No. 248 West 16th-st., corner of the 9th-av., third floor.

WANTED—SITUATIONS IN THE CITY OR country, as a good cook and to wash and iron, as chambermaid and waitress, as nurse and seamstress, as chambermaid and laundress, and as to do general housework, by very competent girls. Call at No. 73 6th-av., in the bookstore.

WANTED—SITUATIONS BY THREE PROfessant young women; one is English and a first-rate seamstress; one as nursemaid and seamstress; one as chambermaid and waiter. Also by a good colored cook. Apply at No. 7 11th-st., near Broadway.

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WANTED—A SITUATION BY AN ENGLISH Protestant girl, to do the housework of a small family; is a good washer and ironer. Call at No. 305 1st-av., between 18th and 19th sts., second floor, back room. Call for two days.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS WAITER. HAS Accounts City references from the last place. Can be seen at his present employer's for two days. Apply at No. 55 East 14th-st., corner of University-place.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY AN AMERICAN young man, in a store in a country village. Can furnish the best of reference. Address E. V. P., Office this paper.

TO FARMERS.—A YOUNG MAN FROM EUrope, with some knowledge of farming would like to meet with an engagement in this country. Address T. D., office New-York Times.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—AT NO. 6 EAST BROADWAY, A clerk for a railroad ticket office, a young man for an express office, and 2 men to drive express wagons, 4 porters and 4 conductors, 3 baggage-men, 2 boys for stores and trades, and 2 girls to travel. Apply to GILLEN & CO., No. 6 East Broadway.

WANTED—A HOUSEKEEPER.—A LADY WHO is willing and capable of taking the charge of a handsome house, with small family, (no children,) may hear of a desirable situation by addressing A. J., Box No. 461 Lower Post-Office, with name, references, &c.

WANTED—IN AN IMPORTING HOUSE A smart, intelligent boy, about fifteen years old. Also, an able-bodied man, as porter. Address JONES, at the office of the Daily Times.

WANTED.—PROFITABLE EMPLOYMENT may be found by a man of superior address and thorough business education and experience, and no other, by addressing PARKMAN, this office.

WANTED—TO JEWELERS.—AN EXPERIENCED die-sinker. Apply to G. & S. OWEN, No. 4 Maiden-lane.

WANTED—A BOY IN A DRUG STORE. Apply at No. 380 Bowery, corner of 4th-st.

WANTED—A SERVANT GIRL OF ALL WORK. Apply at No. 750 Broadway.

TEACHERS.

A PRINCIPAL FOR KINDERHOOK ACADEMY, every way qualified by learning, experience and thoroughness of teaching, will be wanted in October. The Academy building is in complete order. A new boarding house has been erected for pupils from abroad, under charge of the teacher. The reputation of the school is elevated, and the income remunerative. Address Trustees of the Academy, Kinderhook, Columbia Co., N. Y.

WANTED—BY A GRADUATE OF HARVARD University, a situation as private tutor to a family of children, or a few private pupils, to whom he will give lessons by the hour. Instruction given in the common English branches, Latin, French, Italian and Drawing. Apply by letter to J. W., Boston, Mass., or to H. HITCHINGS, No. 385 Broadway, New-York.

BOARDING.

BOARDING.—AN ELEGANT FRONT ROOM, second floor, commanding a beautiful view of the river, including gas and exclusive bath, will be let to one or two gentlemen, with partial board, in Hudson-terrace, Hoboken. Apply No. 1 Newark-street.

BOARDING—A SMALL PRIVATE FAMILY residing in West 14th-st., in a first-class house, desire to let with board some of their rooms. Address box No. 1661 Post-Office.

BOARDING.—A FEW SINGLE GENTLEMEN or families can be accommodated with nice rooms and board, at No. 143 Madison-st.; water in each room. Family private. References exchanged.

BOARD IN BROOKLYN.—A GENTLEMAN and his wife, or two single gentlemen, can be accommodated with board in a small private family at No. 11 Tillary, near Fulton st.

BOARD WANTED.—A GENTLEMAN AND HIS wife wish to procure board in a private family, where there are no other boarders. Location not to be above 8th or below Bleecker-st. Address COLGATE, at this office.

COUNTRY BOARD WANTED—FOR A FAMily of three or four persons, within one hour's ride (by railroad) from the City, a farm house preferred, where there are few boarders; location near Orange, N. J., or any other inland location, where the country is high and rolling, and the air pure. Address Box No. 140 New-York Post-Office, stating location, terms, &c.

TO LET—IN A PRIVATE FAMILY, A SMALL neatly furnished room with gas, to one or two single gentlemen without board; references required. Apply at No. 51 Morton-st.

AS YOU MAY DESIRE BOARD OR boarders in any part of the City or country, we invite you to call. You will be sure to suit yourself by applying at No. 243 Pine-st., or Broadway, corner 18th-st., (free to boarders.) N. B.—We have a great demand for country board at present. GOODWIN & CO.

SUMMER RESORTS.

SUMMER QUARTERS.—THE "FAIRFIELD House" is now completed, and open for the reception of guests. The house is new, well arranged and handsomely furnished, (lighted with gas,) and has every convenience for families who desire all the comforts and conveniences of a first-class and quiet hotel. It is located in a beautiful village, of easy access to a fine beach for bathing, and the surrounding country abounds in beautiful and rural drives. The subscriber will spare no efforts to make the Fairfield House one of the most attractive and desirable Summer resorts. N. H. GILLETT,

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FAIRFIELD, June 26, 1857.

SCHOOLEY'S MOUNTAIN SPRINGS, N. J.—Belmont Hotel and Heath House is now open for the reception of visitors. Communication by Morris and Essex Railroad from foot of Cortlandt-st.

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SACHEM'S HEAD HOTEL, GUILFORD, CONN.—The above well-known House is now open for the reception of company. Persons escaping from the heat and dust of crowded cities, will find at this place a delightful contrast.

COUNTRY BOARD—AT FARM HOUSES IN the vicinity of Glen Cove, can be had by applying to HENRY C. VALENTINE, stage proprietor, Glen Cove Landing. City references—WM. H. TOWNSEND, No. 19 Warren-st.; Jos. H. TOWNSEND, No. 701 Greenwich-st.

COUNTRY BOARD.—DESIRABLE ACCOMmodations may be obtained at a farm house on Long Island, for five or six persons, about 2½ hours ride from Brooklyn, by Railroad. For further particulars inquire of J. R. BRUSH, No. 4 Chatham-square.

BOARDING AT A FARM-HOUSE.—THE Subscriber is prepared to accommodate families with large, airy rooms, in his family mansion, near Glen Cove, L. I. A line addressed to CHARLES UNDERHILL, Glen Cove, will have prompt attention.

BATH HOTEL—SEA SIDE.—A DELIGHTful Summer residence will be open for transient and permanent boarders on SATURDAY, 16th inst.

PUBLIC MEETINGS.

NOTICE.—THE JOINT SPECIAL COMMITTEE of the Common Council, on the disposal of the Gold Box bequeathed by Gen. ANDREW JACKSON, will hold their final meeting on next WEDNESDAY, the 15th inst., at 3 P. M. All persons having a claim, are particularly requested to be present and state their case before the Committee. PETER MONEGHAN, Chairman.

J. H. KENNARD, Secretary.

SPORTING.

SCHOONER YACHT "SPRAY" FOR SALE.—About 40 tons burden, coppered and in good order, and well found in every particular. She now lies at Hoboken, and is ready for immediate service. Apply to E. BLOODGOOD, Secretary New-York Yacht Club, No. 4 Pine-st.

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COUNTRY RESIDENCE TO LET OR FOR SALE IN ORANGE, N. J.—Within 1 minute walk of railroad station, and within 45 minutes of Cortlandt-st., New-York. A very large house, 2 roods, cellar, and attic, with grates, kitchen range, and other conveniences. The house is just finished, and commands a beautiful view of the mountain. A very healthy, cool, convenient residence for a City merchant. For particulars apply immediately to O. M. BAXTON & CO., Agricultural Book Publishers, No. 140 Fulton-st.

CHARMING COUNTRY RESIDENCE, with 20 or 40 acres of improved land, on New-Haven Railroad, one hour and fifteen minutes from the City Hall, for sale; Also, 27 acres on Hudson River, commanding some of the most extensive views on the river; also, at same place, a cottage, with about ¾ acre. Apply at No. 363 Bowery, corner of 4th-st.

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FOR SALE—ON THE HUDSON RIVER 23½ miles above Yonkers, 10 or more acres of land, together with a first-class mansion, finished with all the modern improvements and convenience. Just completed and built in the best manner for the owner's use. On the premises are a new carriage-house, gas-house, ice house, &c. The view is unsurpassed on the river. Persons wishing to visit the place, will find every facility by owner waiting the arrival of the cars and boats at Yonkers. Apply to MANUEL T. BOLMER, near the premises.

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FOR SALE—AT RYE, WESTCHESTER COUNty, 1½ miles from the Depôt, a part of the estate of the late Philemon Halstead, containing 27 acres, having a front upon Rye Beach, and commanding an extensive view of the Sound and adjoining country. There is a fine house on the property. Apply to NEWBERY D. HALSTEAD, Esq., on the premises; or P. C. BULKLEY, No. 27 Wall-st., New-York.

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FARMS FOR SALE.

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN ANNE ARUNDEL AND PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTIES.—In execution of powers contained in a deed of Trust, bearing date on the 19th day of November, 1855, and recorded in Liber D. H. G., No. 5, folios 189, &c., one of the land record-books for Anne Arundel County, and Liber C. S. M., No. 1, folios 20, &c., one of the land record-books of Prince George's County, from MARGARETTA NICHOLS and R. NICOLS SNOWDEN, to the undersigned, he offers for sale one of the most valuable real estates in the State, lying in the counties of Anne Arundel and Prince George's, known as the "Fairland Estate," on which the land Snowden now resides, and containing nearly 1,200 acres of land. This land has been recently surveyed and platted by JOHN DUVALL, and divided into farms and lots, to suit the views or almost every class of purchasers, and to persons doing business in the cities of Baltimore and Washington, and desiring to reside in the country, this property is especially recommended.

This land fronts for a long distance on the railroad from Washington to Baltimore, adjoining the Laurel Depôt on said road, and is sufficiently near, from the facilities afforded by said road, to market daily to either of said cities.

A large portion of this estate is arable, and the residue covered with Wood and Timber, which can very profitably be sold either to the Depôt of the railroad or in the said cities. The arable land is of the most productive character, the location remarkably healthy, the neighborhood very desirable, and no portion of the State offers locations for residences of more beauty.

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On the Home Farm there is a large Brick-House, nearly new, of superior character and finish, a very large Barn, used also for Dairy purposes, a two-story Dwelling for a manager, and all other suitable out-houses in good repair. The other portions of the estate are without buildings, except a small two-story Frame House near the railroad.

This property will be held for private sale up to FRIDAY, the 24th day of July, when, if not sold, or such portions as shall not then have been sold, will then be offered at public sale, at the Laurel Depôt, at 11 o'clock A. M., and the terms of sale to be as follows: One-third cash on the day of sale, and the residue in one and two years in equal portions, bearing interest from the day of sale; the interest on the whole purchase to be paid yearly, and the payments thereof to be secured by the bonds of the purchasers, with sureties to the satisfaction of the Trustee, or at the option of the purchasers, a deed will be given for the land on the receipt of the cash payment, and a mortgage taken for the residue.

Persons desiring to purchase are invited to examine the premises, which will be shown them by Mr. NATHAN MCNEW, who can at all times be found on the place, and will show the plat of the same, or apply to R. N. SNOWDEN, also residing there, who will furnish all the information desired, or they can apply to the undersigned.

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FOR SALE—IN CHATAUQUE COUNTY—476 acres of good farming land well watered and timbered, situated 2½ to 3 miles from the village of Mayville, the county seat; about 250 acres under cultivation with good and convenient dwellings, barns, out houses, orchard, &c., can be divided into three or more farms and is offered in separate portions if required. The above lands will be sold at a bargain; one-half to two-thirds of the purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage. For particulars, apply to I. E. BURROWS, Mayville; WESTERVELT & CORWIN, No. 208 Front-st., or W. W. HAWKINS, No. 264 Washington-st.

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FOR SALE—VERY CHEAP.—A NEAT THREE-story brown stone house, situated in one of the best locations in the city of Brooklyn, Gates-st., between Lafayette-av. and Hancock-place, within 10 minutes walk of the ferries. The house is well built, with all the modern improvements. Possession immediately. Terms easy. Apply to THOMAS READ, No. 322 Water-st., New-York.

HOUSE FOR SALE—NO. 135 WEST FOURTEENTH-STREET.—A Secondary Brown-stone, first-class house for sale. Has all the modern improvements and is strictly a first-class house. Has just been painted and frescoed throughout in the best manner, and is in complete order. The lot is 22x120 feet. To be sold at the owner's house to remove from the City. Immediate possession given. The house can be seen from 8 to 10 or from 2 to 4 P. M. Apply at No. 31 Spruce-st.

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Office No. 65 Nassau-st.

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VALUABLE SALE OF HANDSOME HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AT AUCTION.—E. H. LYNCH & CO. will sell, at auction, on WEDNESDAY, July 17, at 10½ o'clock, at No. 44 East 23d-st., between Broadway and 4th-av., handsome household furniture, consisting in part of rosewood parlor furniture, [illegible] chairs, pier and centre tables, pier and mantel mirrors, Brussels and ingrain carpets, oil cloths, &c., together with an assortment of kitchen furniture, with which the sale will commence.

THOMAS MOSHER, Auctioneer.

THIS DAY, AT 10 1-2 O'CLOCK, HAS been appointed to sell the entire stock contained in the new, spacious, and airy salesroom, No. 394 Broadway, corner of Worth-st., consisting of a general variety of fancy goods, furniture, watches, jewelry, [illegible], books, flowers, [illegible], &c. N. B.—Choice articles and special auction sale.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

WHOLESALE GROCERY, FISH AND PROVISION STORE FOR SALE.—One of the best located wholesale stands on the West side of the City, doing a large and profitable business, the present [illegible] to close the concern. Parties wishing to [illegible] business, the present opportunity is one seldom met with. All communications confidential. Address Box No. 2,507 Post-Office.

$8,000.—WANTED—FOR ONE-HALF INTEREST, a [illegible] patentable article, of rare merit, and of every day's use, whereby one of the most [illegible] business may be instituted that the powers of the mind can suggest. Two valuable patents, worth five times the amount, given as collateral security. Address, for [illegible], INTEGRITY, No. 322 Adelphi-st., Brooklyn. References exchanged.

FOR SALE—A FIRST-RATE STORE (STOCKED) and a handsome dwelling, at Westfield, N. J., 21 miles from New-York. Store doing a good business. Price of store, stock and dwelling, including 2 acres, barn &c., $8,000. Apply to J. CLARK, No. 89 Wall-st., rooms Nos. 10 and 14, or to WM. H. PIERSON on the premises.

$20,000.—CASH TO THE AMOUNT OF $10,000 or $20,000 may be invested in one of the most lucrative businesses ever started in the United States. The business is perfectly exclusive, and of the most strictly and irreproachable character. Address confidentially, "X. Y. Z.," Office New-York Daily Times.

FOR SALE—THE FOUNDRY, ESTABLISHED 1845, [illegible] patentable articles of rare merit, and of every day's use, whereby one of the most [illegible] business may be instituted that the powers of the mind can suggest. Two valuable patents, worth five times the amount, given as collateral security. Address, for [illegible], INTEGRITY, No. 322 Adelphi-st., Brooklyn. References exchanged.

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FOR SALE—THE FOUNDRY, ESTABLISHED 1845, [illegible] Flagler. A safe and profitable business will be finished with the property. For particulars, apply on the premises, or at No. 216 Water-st., New-York.

F. F. FLAGLER.

EXCHANGE.—THREE FULL LOTS, ON THE [illegible] of 100x25, will be exchanged for window and picture glass, full shares of title; lots will locate. Apply at FOUNTAIN, No. 128 East 23d-st.

TYPE PRINTERS.—FOR SALE—A DOUBLE-CYLINDER power press of Hoe's make. Bed 31x46, in good order. Price $450. Apply to JOSEPH BARTON, No. 13 Beekman-st.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES VERY LOW.—The subscriber, in business in Wall-st. for the past thirteen years, is selling all descriptions of gold and silver watches at wholesale and retail, at less than usual prices.

Fine gold lepine and detached lever watches.
Gold hunting case English patent levers, full jeweled.
Splendid Jules Jurgensen watches.
T. F. Cooper's lever and duplex watches.
Independent second and quarter second watches for timing horses.
Gold pocket chronometers, magic watches.
Beautiful enamel watches.
Gold and diamond watches, for ladies.
Fancy enamel and chased watches, for ladies.
Splendid engraved watches for gentlemen.
Also, all other descriptions of gold and silver watches, at all prices.
All watches warranted to keep correct time. Watches exchanged. GEORGE C. ALLEN,
Importer of watches and jewelry, wholesale and retail, No. 11 Wall-st., 2d door, near Broadway.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.—GOLD WATCHES AND STERLING SILVER WARE, together with a large assortment of DIAMONDS, and all kinds of FINE GOLD JEWELRY, &c., &c.
Gold Hunting Geneva full-jeweled Lever Watches, from $65 to $100.
Gold hunting full jeweled English Lever Watches, from $65 to $100.
We have all kinds of Watches, and will tell our customers exactly what time they will keep, and the quality of the gold, and kind of movement.
We import the kind of movement that we think will keep better time than any other Watches in this market.
We will case up Watches to suit customers.
We also have a very choice and large stock of ALBATA PLATE WARE.
We will sell Watches, Jewelry and Silver Ware at the very lowest manufacturers' prices.
SQUIRE & LANDEN, No. 97 Fulton-st.
H. M. SQUIRE. T. D. LANDEN.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

GOLD MEDAL PIANOS!—STEINWAY & SONS have again been awarded the First premium at the late Fair of the American Institute, New-York; and also the First premium Gold Medal at the late Fair of the Maryland Institute, Baltimore, in addition to the three already received, making five first-prize medals within the last 18 months. No. 84 Walker-st.

SELF-PLAYING PIANO MECHANIQUE.—On which any one can play without a master or any knowledge of music, now on exhibition and for sale by T. GILBERT & CO., Piano Manufacturers, Nos. 8 and 10 Bible House, Astor-place, corner 8th-st. and 4th-av. (formerly DUBOIS & STODART, and DUBOIS, BACON & [illegible].)

BERRY HAS THE BEST AND CHEAPEST NEW-YORK AND BOSTON PIANOS.—Second-hand rosewood and mahogany Pianos, at $25, $30, $110, $125; one nearly new, 6½-octave, with double mouldings, $175. New and second-hand Pianos to let, and rent applied on purchase. T. S. BERRY,
No. 422 Broadway, cor. Grand-st., Marble Building.

GREAT IMPROVEMENT IN PIANO-FORTES.—Messrs. LIGHTE, NEWTON & BRADBURY, No. 422 Broome-st., respectfully invite attention to their Piano-fortes, constructed with the patent arch wrest plank, which is undoubtedly the most substantial improvement ever introduced into this instrument.

RAVEN, BACON & CO., (SUCCESSORS TO Bacon & Raven,) manufacturers of pianos, No. 135 Grand-st., near Broadway, where a full assortment of instruments may be found, exclusively of our own manufacture, warranted in every respect.

ELEGANT ROSEWOOD, GRAND DIAGONAL 7-octave piano made by one of the best makers, and cost $600, warranted; will be sold for $300; been used a few months. Can be seen at No. 141 9th-st.

FINANCIAL.

STOCK, BOND, THE GENERAL EXCHANGE AND BROKERAGE OFFICE.
Corner Nassau and Wall-sts.
HENRY HENTZ,
WM. ALEX. SMITH, New-York.

BRITISH COMMERCIAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY—LONDON AND AMERICA.
THIRTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT
For the year ending Dec. 31, 1866.

RECEIPTS.		
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1865		$47,202 27
Interest from mortgages and other securities		45,752 10
Premiums inst. from annuities, reversions, &c.		247,542 24
Total		$340,496 61
PER CONTRA.		
Claims settled	$135,456 92	
Dividends paid	23,455 41	
Policies bought and reinsurances	25,784 00	
Loans to policy holders	37,642 22	
Annuities and indemnities	9,931 82	
General charges, rent, taxes, advertisements, &c., &c.	81,748 00	
Cash and bills on hand	56,493 95	
Bal. due from agencies	57,810 19	$340,523 52
ASSETS.		
Government securities and state stocks, &c.		$818,560 44
Bonds and mortgages		96,012 46
Annuity investment		206,480 92
Reversions		82,826 17
Advances on Company's policies		214,619 20
Present value of policies with other companies		28,648 00
Value of furniture, fixtures &c.		20,064 05
Dividends due on stocks and bonds		3,066 06
Debts due from agencies	57,810 19	66,493 95
Cash and bills on hand	48,656 76	
Total		$1,031,276 12
Uncalled capital		2,000,000 00
Total		$3,031,276 07

Office No. 68 Wall-st.
GEO. M. KNEVITT, Actuary.

OFFICE OF THE HOUSATONIC RAILROAD CO.,
BRIDGEPORT, June 26, 1867.

NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS.—THE COUPON due on the 1st prox. on the Bonds of this Company will be paid on presentation at the office of KETCHUM, HOWES & CO., in the City of New-York, or at the Treasurer's office, in the city of Bridgeport.

At the annual meeting of the Stockholders in February last it was resolved to pay off in cash $60,000 of the outstanding Bonds falling due Jan. 1, 1868, from the net income of the Road in 1866, and to create a new issue for the balance bearing date Jan. 1, 1867, of $200,000, which should retain the same perfect security which had been given for the original Bonds of $260,000, of which new issue it was decided to make certain payments Jan. 1, 1868, and $50,000 annually thereafter till Jan. 1, 1872, and thus extinguish the whole mortgage debt within the period prescribed. In pursuance of this resolution the new Bonds have been prepared and already negotiated to the extent of $152,000, chiefly in exchange for the old Bonds, which have been cancelled and charged off, leaving $91,000 yet to be exchanged or otherwise disposed of. Holders of the remainder of the old Bonds are invited to examine the new issue, and, to exchange for them their old Bonds, should they feel disposed, and on such terms that the investment will suit them. The new Bonds being payable at sundry dates, it will be seen that those who contemplate such exchange will have a better choice now as to the time during which they may wish to continue the investment than by deferring it to a later period.

Exchanges can be made with Messrs. KETCHUM, HOWES & CO., of New-York, or with the undersigned at Bridgeport. H. NICHOLS, Treasurer.

PROPOSALS FOR $275,000 6 PER CENT. P. CENTRAL PARK FUND STOCK.—Sealed proposals will be received at the Comptroller's Office until THURSDAY, July 18, 1867, at 3 o'clock P. M., when the same will be publicly opened, for the whole or any part of the amount of two hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars of "Central Park Fund Stock, of the City of New-York," authorized by an act of the Legislature of this State, entitled "An act to authorize the sale of the State Arsenals in New-York and Albany, to provide for the purchase of the New-York Arsenal property in New-York, by the City of New-York, and for the appropriation of the proceeds of such sale," passed April 15, 1867, and by an ordinance of the Common Council, approved by the Mayor June 17, 1867. The said stock will consist of two thousand seven hundred and fifty shares, of one hundred dollars each share, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable quarter-yearly, and the principal sum redeemable on the 1st day of July, in the year 1887. The proposals will state the number of shares desired, and the price per share; the person whose proposals are accepted will be required to deposit with the Chamberlain of the City the sum awarded and covered by the bid, and on presenting the receipt of the Chamberlain to the Comptroller, he will be entitled to receive a certificate for the par value of the number of shares, carrying interest from the date of the deposit. Each proposition should be sealed up and indorsed: "Proposal for Six per cent. Central Park Fund Stock." And the proposition may then be put up in a second envelope, sealed and directed, "A. C. Flagg, Comptroller, No. 5 Hall of Records, New-York." A. C. FLAGG, Comptroller.
Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, New-York, June 26, 1867.

FIFTY PER CENT. LAND GRANT FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS.—The Chicago, St. Paul and Fond du Lac Railroad Company propose to sell to Stockholders their Eight per Cent. 10 year Construction (Land Grant) Mortgage Bonds, of $1,000 each, of date May 1, 1867, and secured upon their entire Road and Branches from Chicago to Lake Superior, and upon a million of acres of the grants of Public Lands from Congress, as made to this Company by the States of Wisconsin and Michigan.

Accompanying each Bond will be a Scrip Certificate, entitling the purchaser, or his assignee, at any time, at his option, to ten shares, or $100 each, of Privilege Land Grant Stock, on electing, at any time within two years from June 1, 1867, to subscribe and pay ten per cent. of the par value thereof, the same never to be subject to any further assessments, but to be credited with proceeds of sales of lands until full paid, to bear dividends and be entitled to vote upon rules as provided by said Company, and set forth in said Stock Privilege Certificate, and in their Circular to Stockholders of May 20, 1867.

The subscription price for said Bonds to be 50 per cent. their par value and accrued interest, payable 10 per cent. in hand, 10 per cent. on 1st July next, and 20 per cent. on each of the first days of August, September and October next, or as much sooner as parties may elect, at the office of the Company in New-York.

The subscription list will be opened at the office of the Company, No. 12 Wall-st., on MONDAY, the 8th inst., and will remain open till the 20th June inst.—Dated New-York, June 1, 1867.
CHARLES BUTLER, Treasurer, &c.

OFFICE OF THE MICHIGAN SOUTHERN AND NORTHERN INDIANA RAILROAD COMPANY.—No. 15 William-st., New-York, June 28, 1867.—The stock transfer books of the Company will be closed on the 30th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M., preparatory to the establishment of a register of the stock of the Company, and will open on the 26th day of July. By order of the Board. J. M. HOPKINS, Secretary.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, a meeting of the Stockholders of the Valleculo Silver Mining Company will be held at No. 229 Broadway, room No. 7, on WEDNESDAY, July 15, at 2 o'clock, P. M., to consider the Report of the Directors, calling an instalment of $2,500 per vara, 5 per cent on the capital stock, for the purpose of meeting present necessities, procuring additional machinery, and carrying on the operations of the mines. J. N. REYNOLDS, President.

OFFICE PANAMA RAILROAD CO., No. 68 Wall-st.,
NEW-YORK, June 26, 1867.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL INTEREST ON THE Convertible Bonds of this Company, due on the 1st of July, will be paid on the presentation of the Coupons at the office of the Company, on and after that date. The books for the transfer of stock will be closed from this date to the 7th of July inclusive.
AUGUSTUS HOFFMAN, Treasurer.

AN ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE stock and bondholders of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, on the corner of Pine and William sts., on THURSDAY, the 18th day of July, at 3 o'clock, to hear the report of the Committee appointed at a meeting held at the above-named place on the 9th inst.
WM. CHAUNCEY, Chairman.

THE BONDHOLDERS OF THE TOLEDO, Wabash and Western Railroad are requested, immediately, to send their names and address, with a statement of the nature of their interest, to the subscriber at No. 10 Old-slip, New-York, for the information of the Committee appointed at a recent meeting.
WM. CHAUNCEY, Chairman.

NEW-YORK CENTRAL RAILROAD SEVEN PER CENT. BONDS.—The undersigned offer for sale the 7 per cent. Coupon Bonds of this Company, (late issue,) having twenty years to run; interest payable semi-annually, on the first days of February and August, at the Company's Agency in this City.
DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO.

SEVEN PER CENT. CITY REVENUE Bonds will be issued by the Comptroller, in sums not less than $500, payable in from 5 to 12 months, as may be desired. The money may be deposited with the City Chamberlain, A. Y. STOUT, at Shoe and Leather Bank.

TO SAVINGS INSTITUTIONS AND PARTIES HAVING TRUST FUNDS TO INVEST.—OGDENSBURGH & CLEVELAND R. R. offer for sale on favorable terms $150,000 of the Brooklyn 6 per cent. permanent Water Loan.

BROWN BROTHERS & CO., NO. 59 WALL-st., issue credits for Commercial and Traveling purposes, available in any part of the world.

MACHINERY.

TO STEAMBOAT OWNERS AND BUILDERS.—GRIFFITH'S PATENT SCREW PROPELLER.—The attention of steamboat owners and builders is particularly invited to the great superiority of GRIFFITH'S PROPELLER over all others used in the propulsion of steam vessels. Many and various experiments have been made to test this Propeller against the very best, and in all cases it has come off victorious. It can be set to any desired pitch; is more efficient for a given surface of blade; causes little or no vibration to the stern of the vessel; gives high results for the amount of power applied; and often but little resistance when the vessel is under sail only. Terms for the introduction and use thereof. For further information, apply to
CHARLES W. COPELAND,
Sole Agent for United States,
No. 66 Broadway, New-York.

JONES' & CROWELL'S IMPROVED PLANER.—WOODWORTH'S OUTDONE.—On exhibition, at Bennett's rooms, over the New-Haven Railroad Freight Depot, on Franklin, between Centre and Elm sts., an Improved Planer, in which economy and utility are admirably combined, by which plank or boards, from six inches to one-eighth of an inch can be planed, jointed, grooved, tongued, or mouldings cut with great speed and accuracy, adjustable to any thickness of board or plank while in motion, an unparalleled qualification in operation daily. Call and see it. Patent in progress. Rights negotiated. Machines made to order. Office No. 239 Broadway, corner of Barclay-st., room No. 20.

LINEN PLAYING CARDS.

LINEN PLAYING CARDS.—SOUTHERN AND Western dealers and club houses will find a complete assortment of well-assorted playing cards, of all qualities, at the depot of the Philadelphia Card Factory of SAMUEL HART & CO., No. 1 Barclay-st., opposite Astor House.

DIVIDENDS.

DIVIDEND.—OFFICE OF THE COLUMBIA Fire Insurance Company, No. 29 Broadway, corner of College-place, Agency No. 11 Merchants' Exchange, Wall-st.

The Directors of the Columbia Fire Insurance Company have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent. on the Capital Stock, payable on and after the 8th inst.

The transfer books will be closed until that date.
JOHN G. BERGH, Secretary.

NEW-YORK, July 1, 1867.

This Company continues to insure buildings, merchandise, furniture and all kinds of personal property, on the most liberal terms.

BOWERY SAVINGS BANK—NEW-YORK, July 8, 1867.—DIVIDEND.—The depositors in this Bank are hereby notified that interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum on all sums of $5 and upward, and less than $500, and four per cent. per annum on all sums of $500 and upward, which have been deposited at least three months previous to the 1st instant, will be allowed to depositors, payable on or after Monday, the 20th inst., during the hours of business at the Bank. Interest not drawn out will remain as principal, and draw interest accordingly from the 1st inst. The Bank is open for business daily from 10 to 3 o'clock, and on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 6 to 7 o'clock, at No. 130 Bowery. By order of the Trustees.
JAMES MILLS, President.
G. H. COCHENEAU, Secretary.

OFFICE OF CONTINENTAL INSURANCE CO.,
NEW-YORK, July 8, 1867.

THE DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANY have this day declared a dividend of THIRTY-THREE AND ONE-THIRD PER CENT. upon the premiums earned during the year ending 1st inst. on all policies entitling the holders to participate in the profits of the Company's business, and scrip will be issued on the 1st of August to POLICY HOLDERS for the amounts to which they are respectively entitled.

The Directors have also declared a dividend of five per cent. upon the capital of the Company, payable to the STOCKHOLDERS on and after the 14th inst.
GEO. T. HOPE, President.
H. H. LAMPORT, Secretary.

EAST RIVER SAVINGS BANK, No. 3 Chambers-st.,
JULY 13, 1867.

DIVIDEND.—THE DEPOSITORS ARE HEREby notified that a semi-annual dividend, at the rate of six per cent. per annum on all sums of $5 and up to $100, and five per cent. per annum on all sums over $500, which have been deposited at least three months previous to the 1st inst., will be allowed to depositors, payable on or after Monday, the 20th instant, during the hours of business at the Bank. All interest not called for will remain as principal and draw interest from the 1st instant. Bank open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M., and on Thursdays from 5 to 7 o'clock P. M.
PETER H. TITUS, President.
C. A. WHITNEY, Secretary.

BROADWAY SAVINGS INSTITUTION—No. 337 Broadway, entrance 104 Duane place.—DIVIDEND NOTICE.—Depositors are hereby notified that the usual semi-annual dividend on all sums entitled thereto at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, on sums not exceeding $500, and 5 per cent. over $500, will be paid on and after MONDAY, July 20. Interest not called for will be credited as principal and draw interest accordingly from July 1. Bank open daily from 10 to 3 o'clock, and Monday, Wednesday and Saturday Evenings from 5 to 7 o'clock.
FRANCIS F. SCHOALE, President.
WADE R. WORRALL, Secretary.
PETER CUMMING, Accountant.

WATERTOWN AND ROME RAILROAD CO.,
TREASURER'S OFFICE, Watertown, July 1, 1867.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—STOCKHOLDERS ARE hereby notified that a cash dividend of 4 per cent. has been declared, payable on and after the 15th day of July instant. The transfer books will be closed from the 1st day of July to the day of payment. Stockholders, whose stock is registered in New-York, will receive their dividends at the Pacific Bank, Cortlandt-st., in this City.
E. M. HUNGERFORD, Treasurer.

MARINERS' SAVINGS BANK,
CORNER 3d-AV. AND 9th-ST.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—THE TRUSTEES OF this institution have declared a dividend at the rate of six (6) per cent. on deposits of $5 and $500, and five (5) on larger sums, payable after Wednesday, 23d inst. All dividends not drawn will be added to principal and bear interest as such. By order.
THOMAS B. STILLMAN, President.
ISAAC T. SMITH, Secretary.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
NEW-YORK, July 8, 1867.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE this day declared a dividend of ten per cent. out of the profits of the Company, payable on and after the 15th instant to the stockholders who were such at the closing of the transfer books, this day.
FREDERIC HOFFMAN, Secretary.

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE BANK, IN THE CITY OF NEW-YORK, June 20, 1867.

DIVIDEND.—THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF this Bank have declared a semi-annual dividend of four (4) per cent. on the capital stock, payable on and after the 16th day of July next. By order
E. J. OAKLEY, Cashier.

EAST RIVER BANK.—THE PRESIDENT and Directors of the East River Bank have this day declared a dividend of Four (4) per Cent. on their capital stock for the last six months, which will be paid to the stockholders on and after the 13th inst., until which day the Transfer Books will be closed. By order of the Board.
W. B. BALLOW, Cashier.

NEW-YORK, July 1, 1867.

OFFICE OF THE GREAT WESTERN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, Lock Western Buildings, No. 88 Pine-st., New-York, June 22, 1867.—The semi-annual interest dividend on the capital stock of the Great Western Marine Insurance Company will be paid at this office on and after July 1. The transfer book will be closed until that date.
DOUGLAS ROBINSON, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE MERCHANTS' INSURANCE COMPANY.—Corner Fulton and Greenwich sts., New-York, July 6, 1867.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi annual dividend of Ten (10) per cent., payable on and after July 11. The transfer books will be closed until after that date.
J. L. DOUGLASS, Secretary.

DIVIDEND.—THE MECHANICS' AND TRADERS' Fire Insurance Company, office No. 74 Wall-st., have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of nine (9) per cent., payable on 9th instant. The transfer book will be closed until that date.
JAMES R. LOTT, Secretary.

New-York, July 2, 1867.

DIVIDEND.—OFFICE OF LAMAR FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—The Board of Directors have THIS DAY declared a Semi Annual Dividend of Five per cent., payable on and after the 15th inst. The Transfer Books will be closed till that date.
J. R. ST. JOHN, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE HARMONY FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 6 Broad-st.,
NEW-YORK, July 2, 1867.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS Company have to-day declared a dividend of 7 per cent., payable on demand. E. O. GLOVER, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE SHIPPERS' FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 21 Pine-street, New-York, July 13, 1867.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS Company has THIS DAY declared a dividend of seven (7) per cent., payable August 1.
THOS. W. BIRDSALL, Secretary.

DIVIDEND.—CONTINENTAL BANK.—A DIVIDEND of four (4) per cent. has been declared, payable to the stockholders of this Bank on and after the 6th of July next.
June 26, 1867. B. F. WARNER, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE ARCTIC FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 29 Wall-st., New-York, July 8, 1867.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS Company have declared a semi-annual Dividend of Five per cent., payable on and after the 15th inst.
RICHARD A. OAKLEY, Secretary.

EXCELSIOR FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OFFICE No. 6 BROAD-ST., NEW-YORK, July 7, 1867.

THIS COMPANY HAS DECLARED A semi-annual dividend of ten per cent., payable on the 15th inst. HENRY QUACKENBOSS, Secretary.

OHIO LIFE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY,
CINCINNATI, July 4, 1867.

A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT. ON the Capital Stock of this Company was declared this day, payable on the 22d inst., in the City of New-York.
G. W. RICE, Secretary.

BANK NOTICES.

BANK DEPARTMENT—STATE OF NEW-YORK.—ALBANY, March 5, 1866.—Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute in such cases made and provided, that all the Circulating Notes issued to J. BELL, as individual Banker (Farmers' Banker, Mine, Chautauque County) must be presented at the Office of the Superintendent of the Banking Department of the State of New-York, for payment within two years from the date hereof, or the funds deposited for the redemption of the Circulating Notes issued to the said Banker will be given up.
JAS. M. COOK, Superintendent.
N. B.—The Commercial Bank of Albany will redeem the Notes in behalf of the Superintendent.
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BANK DEPARTMENT—STATE OF NEW-YORK.—ALBANY, July 9, 1866.—Notice is hereby given, pursuant to statute in such case made and provided, that all the circulating notes issued to H. VAIL, an individual banker, (Dutchess County Bank, Amenia,) must be presented at the office of the Superintendent of the Banking Department of the State of New-York, for payment within two years from the date hereof, or the funds deposited for the redemption of the Circulating Notes issued to the said Banker will be given up.
M. SCHOONMAKER,
Superintendent.
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GREENWICH SAVINGS BANK—SIXTH-AV., Waverley-place.—July interest, 1867.—Depositors are hereby notified that the Board of Trustees have ordered interest to be paid at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum; on all sums of $500 and under, and upon all sums above $500 at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable at the Bank during Bank hours on and after the 20th inst. Bank open daily from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M. and 5 to 7 P. M. By order of the Board.
WM. MANDEVILLE, President.
W. R. VERMILYE, } Secretaries.
JOHN RANDALL, }

BANK FOR SAVINGS—NO. 67 BLEECKER-ST.—Under the provision of the by-laws, the Trustees have directed an interest to be paid to the depositors for the last six months, at the rate of five per cent. per annum on all sums of $5 and under $500, and an interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum on all sums of $500 and upwards, payable on and after the third Monday of the present month. Interest not called for will be carried to the credit of the depositors as principal.
JAS. D. P. OGDEN, Secretary.

MECHANICS' AND TRADERS' SAVINGS INSTITUTION—No. 463 Grand-st., corner Willett-st., open Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, Six per cent. interest allowed on sums from $5 to $500; 5 per cent on sums over $500. All sums deposited previous to the 15th of July will draw interest from the 1st.
ALFRED T. CONKLIN, President.
JAMES P. HAIGHT, Secretary.

BANK NOTICES.

CAPITAL STOCK $1,000,000, TO BE INCREASED TO $1,500,000.—Notice is hereby given, that by a vote of the Directors of the Continental Bank, in view of its large surplus fund, and in pursuance of the authority conferred on them by the articles of Association, they unanimously decided to increase the capital stock by an issue of 5,000 additional shares, of $100 each, which shall be subject in all respects to the stipulations, conditions, and limitations in said articles contained and declared with respect to the shares now existing.

The officers of the Bank, having been duly authorized by the Board, hereby give notice that, in accordance with such decision, and with the said articles, they will open books of subscription, and receive subscriptions, on the 15th day of June next, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M., at the said Bank in the City of New-York, from all persons who shall appear to be registered on that day on the books of the Bank as shareholders in the said Continental Bank, in the proportion of one new share of the increased capital stock at par, to every three shares then held by them respectively.

The amount subscribed, and not paid at the time of subscription, will be payable on the 1st day of July next, when certificates will be issued.

Such portion of the additional 5,000 shares as shall not be taken by the shareholders within ten days after the said 15th day of June, will be disposed of for the benefit of the Association.

The transfer books will be closed from the 15th day of June to the (6th) sixth day of July, both inclusive.
W. T. HOOKER, President.
E. F. WARNER, Cashier.

INSTITUTION FOR THE SAVINGS OF MERCHANTS' CLERKS, AND OTHERS, No. 534 Broadway, July 8, 1867.

THE TRUSTEES HAVE THIS DAY, PURSUANT to the By-Laws, declared an interest for the six months ending 31st of December last, at the rate of six per cent. per annum on all sums amounting to $5 and not over $500, and at the rate of five per cent. on all sums over $500, payable on and after MONDAY, 15th July. Interest not called for will be credited to depositors as principal.

The Bank is open daily from 10 o'clock A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M., and on TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS, from 5 to 7 P. M.
MOSES H. GRINNELL, President.
ANDREW WARNER, Secretary.

IRVING SAVINGS INSTITUTION—NO. 96 WEST-ST., near Greenwich, open daily from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M. and 4 to 7 on Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Interest at 6 per cent. on sums from $1 to $500. Deposits made on or before the 15th will draw interest from the 1st. WALTER W. CONKLIN, President.
WM. M. PULLIS, } Vice-Presidents.
W. D. VAN PELT, }
V. L. BURTON, Secretary.

MARINERS' SAVINGS INSTITUTION, 9th-av., corner of 9th-st. Deposits made on or before 11th July will bear interest from the 1st, at the rate of 6 per cent. on sums of $5 to $500; and 5 per cent. on sums over $500. Bank open daily from 9 o'clock A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M., and on Wednesday and Saturday, from 5 to 8 o'clock P. M.
THOMAS B. STILLMAN, President.
ISAAC T. SMITH, Sec., } P. W. ENGS, } Vice Prest's.
CHAS. MILLS, }

THE TRUSTEES OF THE IRVING SAVINGS Institution have ordered that interest be paid depositors for the last 3 and 6 months ending June 30, 1867, at the rate of 6 per cent. on all sums entitled thereto, payable on and after Monday, 20th July. All interest will be credited to depositors as principal.
WALTER W. CONCKLIN, President.
V. L. BURTON, Secretary.

EAST RIVER SAVINGS BANK, NO. 3 Chambers-st., 3 doors from Chatham-st., open every day from 10 o'clock, A. M., until 3 o'clock, P. M., and on Thursday evening from 5 to 7 o'clock. 6 per cent. interest allowed on sums from $5 to $500; 5 per cent. on sums over $500. All sums deposited on or before the 15th of July will draw interest from the 1st. PETER H. TITUS,
CHAS. A. WHITNEY, Secretary. President.

PEOPLE'S BANK, NEW-YORK, July 1, 1867.

AN ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS AND Inspectors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, on TUESDAY, the 23d inst. The polls will be open from 12 M. to 1 P. M. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 11th to 23d July.
JOHN PARKER, Cashier.

INSURANCE.

OFFICE OF THE LONG ISLAND INSURANCE COMPANY.
No. 41 Fulton-st., Brooklyn.
CHARTERED 1853.

Capital	$200,000
Surplus June 1, 1867	125,[illegible]
Total	$325,[illegible]

This Company has opened a
TEMPORARY Office
for the transaction of its New-York business, at
No. 20 Wall-st., Jauncey Court,
from which place they will remove about the 1st of November, to the
Bank of New-York Building,
corner Wall and William sts.
R. W. DE LAMATER, President.
WM. W. HENSHAW, Secretary.

EXCELSIOR FIRE INSURANCE CO.
CAPITAL, $200,000.
Office No. 6 Broad-st., New-York.

This Company insures all kinds of Buildings, Household Furniture, Merchandise, Vessels in Port, and other Property,
AGAINST LOSS BY FIRE.
GEORGE S. DOUGHTY, President.
EUGENE PLUNKETT, Vice President.

DIRECTORS:

Geo. S. Doughty,	Eugene Plunkett,	Frederick Pentz,
Jacob Little,	Rich'd F. Carman,	M. O. Roberts,
A. C. Kingsland,	John B. Peters,	Ramsay Crooke,
F. De Peyster,	E. K. Collins,	Alfred Plunkett,
John Garcia,	Daniel Richards,	G. W. Burnham,
Wm. H. Johnson,	Henry L. Hogue,	Jeames Gourd,
L. E. Lehman,	Geo. H. Moreweed,	J. T. R. Maxwell,
A. Van Santvord,	W. A. S. Van Duzer,	Robert Hogan,
Hiram Anderson,	Waldo Hutchins,	Charles S. Hart,
Howard G. Cady,	Edward Passage,	William Fardon,
F. J. Hosford,	Anson Livingston,	Robert W. Mead,
Charles Sagory,	John Ewen,	Cherier R. White
P. K. Francis,	John H. Brower,	S. J. Pardessus,

SECURITY FIRE INSURANCE CO.
No. 31 Pine-st. (Great Western Buildings.)
CASH CAPITAL, $200,000.

This Company insures property of all kinds against loss or damage by fire, on as favorable terms as similar institutions in this City.

DIRECTORS:

Joseph Walker,	Joseph Lawrence,	Edward Haight,
Benj. F. Merritt,	Jas. G. Gaynor,	Sam. C. Paxson,
John Hal

[illegible] stated by Mr. HAY to have been as follows: The factory had been closed during most of the day, as well as the stores generally in that vicinity, in anticipation that a riot might break out at any moment. About 5½ o'clock several gentlemen, among whom was known to Mr. HAY, were standing on the corner of Greenwich and Second street, when they heard a crowd of Germans approaching with threatening demonstrations. Mr. HAY was at that moment in the office door of the factory, and the foremen in an adjoining storage house, nor halted till they had passed through the building, and escaped by way of the Second-street Cemetery, or a butcher shop, on Greenwich-street.

At all events, Mr. HAY says he did not see them [illegible] the infuriated rabble rushed forward, [illegible] they reached the factory door it was found to be locked. Mr. HAY, [illegible] made an attempt to reason with them, and, as his German porter tried to explain to them, but to no purpose. It seems they suspected one or more policemen had taken refuge in the factory, and that its proprietors wanted to harbor them. Finally Mr. HAY conferenced with those inside and directed them to unlock the door, which was done, and numbers rushed in in search of the officers. It was about time they went out again, for the key was then turned on them a second time. They became very much enraged at this and commenced pouring upon the windows and doors a shower of stones and brickbats. Several shots were also fired, but none did any damage, except that the door was shattered by a shot from a pistol placed at the keyhole. Mr. HAY sent to the Seventeenth Ward Station-House, and also to White-street for police assistance, but meantime the crowd had gradually dispersed, having damaged the factory to the amount of $200. At the time of this attack there were about 60 hands inside the building, which Mr. HAY thinks was force enough to have arrested the rioters if the attempt had been made. But he refrained from taking such a step, being unwilling to risk the loss of lives.

NOT A BLUE—A CARD.

MR. EDITOR: In your paper of the 10th inst. I notice an account of my arrest as one of the Blues. Such is not the case; I was standing in the Door of my parents residence 124 Seventh st. when hearing the discharge of pistols in Tompkins Square I crossed to the spot to ascertain the Cause of firing, & on my Return was accosted by By the police and a party unknown to me One of them arrested me in the Square But I was honorably Discharged the following morning By Justice Brennan. Yours, JAS. H. HOPKINS.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS—July 14.

Before Justices Osborne and Flanderau.

The usual number of petit larceny and assault and battery cases were tried. One or two rioters, engaged in the less serious disturbances which have taken place recently, were convicted. One of them received a heavy sentence. There was a large number of Metropolitan Policemen in Court, summoned to testify in these cases.

Michael Welsh was engaged in the riot in Jackson-street on the Fourth of July. Officer Thomas Sesers, of the Thirteenth District Police, entered the combat in which was fully substantiated. *Judge Osborne*—The testimony against you is conclusive; Welsh, we sentence you to the Penitentiary for six months, and fine you $50.

Rachel Martin pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery committed on John Hedden, No. 241 Seventh-street, July 8. She was sent to the Penitentiary for two months.

Johanna Bush stole a dress—value $4—that belonged to Mary McNaney, No. 155 Church-street, July 8. She was caught with it on her, sitting on the steps of the Tombs, and was sentenced to the Penitentiary for 4 months.

William Johnson made an attempt to pick the pocket of Janette Robinson, in Attorney-street, July 11. She caught his hand in her pocket, grasping her purse-manade, which contained 25 cents. The Judge thought there were no extenuating circumstances in this case, found him guilty, and sentenced him to the Penitentiary for 3 months—the largest penalty that could be inflicted for an attempt at larceny.

Matthew McNamara assaulted Officer Henry W. Gale, No. 16 White-street, policeman of the Fifth Precinct, July 12. The officer had held of another man whom he had arrested, and McNamara attempted to rescue him, and charged upon the policeman with a knife. He was found guilty and remanded, to be examined on another charge of felony.

Geo. W. Seaton committed an assault and battery on Lewis Lane, No. 11 Elizabeth-street, July 11. "You're an old offender," said Judge OSBORNE, "and we sentence you to the Penitentiary for 6 months."

Thomas Ryder was arraigned on two complaints. He stole a quantity of cotton, worth $2, July 3, from the schooner *Queen of the South*, lying at Pier No. 50 East River. William W. Keff was the complainant, and Ryder was found guilty and sentenced to the Penitentiary for 6 months. The second charge, assault and battery, was entered by Catharine Ryan, No. 1 Columbia-street, committed June 8. He was found guilty and sentence suspended.

Edward Hare *alias* English, was accused by James Mahon, keeper of a house of ill-fame, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, of stealing $1 22 in gold and silver coin. Mahon did not appear and the prisoner was discharged.

Henry Sparis and George Scheremos stole $2 worth of hoe from Deobold Milman, No. 1 Worth-street, July 6, and they were sent to the Penitentiary for 2 months each.

Edward Ritter assaulted Jacob Koehle, No. 42 Stanton-street, with his fists, July 11. The witness said he struck him because he didn't pay him some money which he demanded. He was sentenced to the Penitentiary for two months.

John Commody, a boy, was next brought to the bar. Enoch Cheesebrough said he stole a quantity of cotton July 10. *Judge Osborne*—Boy, what do you do for a living? Are you a cotton retailer? *Prisoner*—No, Sir. *Judge Osborne*—Well, you're one of these dock prowlers, I suppose. *Judge Wood*—(not on the bench)—He has been here before; he's an old offender. *Judge Osborne*—Well, we find him guilty and sentence him to the House of Refuge.

Richard Jennings, a great broad-shouldered young man, was charged with striking his mother, Ellen Jennings, July 11, at No. 19 Cherry-street. Judge FLANDREAU asked his mother if he was in the habit of beating her. *Witness*—Oh, no, never; He's the best boy ever was, your Honor. He won't do so any more, your Honor. *Judge Osborne*—Well, we find you guilty of an assault and battery on your poor old mother, Jennings. You ought to be ashamed to strike her—a great, stout man like you. We discharge you at her request; but I want you to understand that this would not be the *finale* of a case like this if she did not request us to let you off. Sentence is suspended. You can go.

Charles H. Noble was a large negro man, not particularly handsome. "He'd make a good figure-head," said Judge FLANDREAU. James Hughes, also colored, charged him with assault and battery, but did not appear to prosecute him. Both parties lived at No. [illegible] Thomas-street. *Judge Osborne*—Well, you're a bad lot over there. You're discharged—(to the prisoner)—you can go. Mary Bennet also was discharged for the same cause. Hannah Chedlis had charged her with stealing a skirt and other articles, all worth $4 11, from No. 24 Howard-street, July 11.

William Kinley pleaded guilty to stealing some bank bills and silver coin from Robert Waltz, of West Farms, Westchester County, July 12. *Judge Osborne*—What excuse have you got to offer, Kinley? *Prisoner*—Well, I was high at the time. *Judge*—Oh! we find you guilty, and sentence you to the Penitentiary for 3 months.

Philip O'Rourke was charged with purloining a basket and shovel, July 7. James Eldridge, No. 144 East Thirty-eighth-street, of the Twenty-first Ward Police, was the complainant, but failed to appear, and the prisoner was discharged.

James Tagne and Martin Miller were brought up on the complaint of John Higgins, No. 217 Clinton-street. Higgins was going along the street at 2 o'clock in the morning, July 11, when these men came up to him and took from him a breast pin and some money, value $8 50. The witness said they did it very quietly, and did not misuse him. *Judge Osborne*—Oh, no, of course not. They knew too much for that. They were not going to be sent to State's Prison for a brass breastpin. The offence was fully proved. *Judge Osborne*—In this case a larceny was committed at 2 o'clock in the morning, a very unusual hour. It is very probable that if this man had made any resistance, you would have been sent up on a much more serious charge. We find you guilty, and sentence you to the Penitentiary for 6 months each.

Thomas Goodwin was arraigned, charged with riot and an assault and battery on officer Abraham H. Dixon, of the Eighteenth Police Precinct, on the 4th of July. The officer said there were about one hundred people fighting in the Bowery, and he went into the crowd and tried to stop it. He attempted to arrest Goodwin, who was fighting, when he and some others attacked him, choking him and throw him [illegible] he would not be [illegible] guilty. Mr. Dixon [illegible] Goodwin [illegible] Mr. Dixon [illegible] Goodwin [illegible] Mr. Dixon [illegible] Goodwin [illegible]